Journal of A Voyage from Fairhaven Towards the South A & indian Oceans for Sperm whale on Board Ship Leonidas

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Swift Darts the Dolphin from the foaming sea in Chase of her prey
Swift the galent Ship bounds over the waves & bears her Crew from native Shore
to far Distant Clime away from all that is near & Dear to Cruise on the boisterous ocean
for years 2 or 3 in search of the Monsters that blow

Thursday November 21 1839

At 8 A M All hands on board of good Ship Leonidas of Fairhaven lieghing at anchor Newbedford light-house bearing N By A Dist ½ mile weighed anchor according to Pilots order with A strong N W wind with three T Sails Single reeft & well set Jibb & C Miren & Stood out the Bay with A Ships Company of 22 Men Including Commander & Officers fitted for three years At 11 Discharged the Pilot Caudehunk bearing about East Secured the Anchors abt the rails onbent & Stowed the Chains below we are to touch at the Cape deverds for two Men & git A suply of piggs &C May the god of heaven who is our protecter & helper in Every Movement safely guide us through A Short & prosperous voyage & May it be his will for all of us to safely reditern to our native Cuntary & homes again & finde our nearest & dearest friends all well

Friday November 22

At 1 P M Gay head Bore E N E Dist 15 miles by Estermation from which I take My Departure Strong breezes & passing Claudes under single reef F Course & Jibb at 4 Double reeft & ~~set~~ field Jibb Middle Strong winds & Claudy latter fresh gales & squalls of snow & hail at 10 saw A Barque Ship Standing to the ~~North~~ West So Ends these 24 hours Emplayed in Sundry Jobs guilde the lines &C No Observation

Saturday 23

Commences with fresh gales & squalls of snow & hail Middle squalls of hail & rain at 2 A M Came in to the Stream the water by thermometer is 76 at 4 – 84° at 7 is 74 the sea vary rough at 10 Clost reeft & halld up set F spencer So Ends Emplayed in Sundry Jobs A good number Seasick

Winds from North to N N E No Observation
[illegible] South to E S E

Ship Leonidas of Fairhaven Bound on

Remarks On Board Sunday November 24 1839
Commences with fresh gales with light rain und
C reefs Middle light & baffling at 2 A M turnd
out all reefs set jibb at 6 set M sail later stron
breezes & Squally Double reeft saw large quantities
of gulf weede Berrameter stands at 30° 5-10
Winds from N N E. to E N E. Latitude — 36-07
Long — By Chro 69-01

Munday 25
Commences with light breezes & variable from
from N E to S E at 3 P M wore ship to N N E wind
light & Squally Middle Squally & some rain
later fine breezes & Overcasts all hands
Employed in fitting Boates No Observation
Berrameter falling

Tuesday 26
These 24 hours Commences with fine weather
& lively breezes All hands Employed in fitting
Boates Middle fresh breezes from S S W & hazy
At 7-30 wind shifted to N N W with & blackes on
quick C reeft fore Mizen T. sail & M sail Ends
with fresh gales from N N W thick & rainy sea
raugh at 11 P M Berrameter 30° 1-10th
at 11 A M — — — 29° 9-10

Wednesday 27
Commences with fresh gales from N N W
& rainy weather Berrameter 29° 9-10ths
Middle strong gales & squally under C reef M. T.
sail & F sail at 12 Middle wind luls sea vary
Eregular turnd up S. Boate Ends with fresh gales
& same squally wind N E & more Moderate
At 11 P M Berrameter 30° ½ 10ths Latitude 36-24
at 12 Meridian — 30-2-10 Long at 3 P M. 62-39

Thursday 28
Commences with fresh breezes & Cloudy
Middle strong gusts & Cloudy later fresh gales
& same wet under C reefs steering by the wind
sea raugh watch Employed in building a potato
pen on deck

At 1 P M Berrameter stands 30° 2½ 10
later same No Observation
Variation ½ P. W.

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A Whale voyage to the Indian Ocean &

Friday 29th
All these 24 hours fresh gales from N E By E & Squally weather with A raught Sed on watch Emplayed in picklin Onions & Starting patatoes on deck &C
At 11 A L M Berrameter 30-1-10
At 8 A M — — — 30-2-10 Long at 3 - 60-53 W

Saturday 30
First & middle parts of these 24 hours fresh gales & Same squally At 11 turnd ~~out~~ reef out F Sail at 2 A.M. Sat M. Sail at 6 turnd one reef out T. Sails More moderate weather fair with passing Claudes the wind hangs on to the Eastward like the tooth ake All hands Emplayed in braking out & Stawing betwendecks & the Run & building A steerage Latitude - 33-34
Berrameter Stands at 30° & 30° 1-10

On Board Sunday December 1st
these 24 Haurs Cammences with Strang winds from N E B E & passing claudes with Dauble reefs set & Caurses steering by the wind later Moderate & fine turnd out All reefs At high swell running I allaw any paint for the leaway & the heave of the swell Latitude 32-37
Berrometer 30-2-10 Long At 2-30 - 59-05

Monday 2
Cammences with light breezes fram East & fine At 7 wore Ship to N E E At 2 Set T. G. Sails for the first time sinse we Saild Middle light airs fram ESE these 24 hours Ends with light South winds & pleasent All hands Emplayed in fitting Cutting pendnants gyes Spades Boates &C
At 1 P M Berr 30-2-10 Latitude 32-47
At 12 meri 29-9½-10

Tuesday 3
Cammences with fine breezes fram South & pleasent At 3-30 lowered away all 3 boates to practice our new Crew for one haur At 10 Strang breezes & blowy looking weather Heavy Claude rising in the west At 10-30 took in M T-G Sail & C ... at 11 rain pawered in torrents wind ... ... lively breezes fram W Latitude 34-0
Long at 3-30 -

Ship Leonidas of & from Fairhaven bound

Remarks on Board Wednesday 4 December 1839
first part lively breezes from West & squally
Sent up Cutting pendnants gye Blocks &c
Middle part light & variable from North
to N.W. with light Showers of rain later
Calm & a bad Crofs Sea from N.E. & N.W.
Watch Employed in Ships duty
At 7 P.M. Berrameter 29-7-10
At 11 later - - 29-7½-10 No Observation
Variation ¾ P. W.

Thursday 5
Commences with Calm & a high swell
from East at 4 P.M. a light air sprung
up from SE Just before sunset saw the
Spout of a whale supposed it to be
a Sperm whale at 5-30 blowing on Double
reeft At 9 hard squalls & heavy rain C.
reeft at 10 took in F & Mz T. Sails at 1 A.M.
More Moderate set F & Mz T. Sails at 6 turnd
out one reef at 8 hard squalls attended with
heavy rain C reeft again Ends same 14 Days
out & have not had but a vary little time
suitable to Carry on Ships Duty Latitud 35-26
At 7 P.M. Berram 29-7½-10 Longitud at 2-30 - 53-37
Middle & later Winds South

Friday 6
First part Strong gales from South & frequent
squals attended with rain At 2 P.M. reeft
F. Course & furld Mz T. Sail at 6-30 sharp
lightning & Distant thunder from N.W. &
hary wilde looking weather took in F. T. Sail
later vary squally heavy rain hard thunder
& sharp lightning wind light & variable
At 7 P.M. Berrameter 29°7½-10
at 3 A.M. - - 29-6½-10 Variation ¾ P. W.
at 12 Merid same

Saturday 7
Commences with light airs from Diff Points
of the Compafs & heavy rain attended with thunder
& lightning at 4 Cleared same light airs from
SE at 6 wore Ship to ENE Middle fine breezes
& pleasant Ends with small breeze from East & pleasant
Berrameter 29°6½-10
Long at

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...unday 8

Commenses with small breeze from ESE & fine weather Standing to NE & A bad sea Middle fine breeze & passing claudes later fresh gales & squally with light showers At 9-30 Double reeft stowed Gibb & M sail At 11 C reeft F & Mz T. Sails heading NNE.
At 7 P.M. Berron 29-7-10
At 3 AM — — 29-7½-10 Latitude 38-46
At 12 Merid — 29-8½ Variation 1 P. Westerly

Manday 9th

Commences with fresh gales & squally with showers At 12-30 C reeft M. T. Sail At 2 took in F & Mz at 3 reeft F sail At 7 wore ship to SE at 11 strong gales & raughf sea took in F sail At 6 AM Sat Reef F Caurse Ends with strong gales & squeals with rain watch Emplayed in sundry jobs
At 1 P.M. Berram 29-8½-10 Latitud 38-26
at 12 merid — 29-9-10

Tuesday 10

Cammences with fresh gales fram East squal... with rain At 8 P.M. Sat C reef F & Mz T. Sails Middle & later more moderate turnd reef ou... F sail ane out Mz. T. Sail & set M sail at 10 ware ship to east wind SSE & squal... with light shawers of rain & A bad sea watch Emplayed in ships duty
these winds & weather are teagues & trying a... most constant gails squals & rain & mo... of the time ahead Latitude 37-42
Berrometer all these 24 hours 29-9 & 9½-10ths

Wednesday 11

All these 24 hours strong SSE winds & mostley claudey under Dauble & single reef & A bad swell fram East

B... ...t... 30° to 29-6 ... 10

...ring by the wind
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Leonidas towards South.

Thursday December 12th 1889
First part Strong SSE winds & Cloudy
At 6 C reeft F & Mz T. Sails furld Jibb At
7 blowing on furld M. Sail & C Stept M. T.
At 9 heavy gusts & wilde looking weather
took in F & Mz T. Sails & reeft F Course
At 12 Middle part More Moderate So
F T. Sail turnd one out Main at 2
hard gales from SW & vary wilde squ
weather & all Most Constant lightning
from NW at 3-30 heavy gusts C reeft
M T sail from 4 to 6 heavy rain the buld
& halld to WNW at 7 fine breeze & pleasent
turnd out all reefs at 8 set M. T. G. Sa &
A barque Ship off of S quater Steering
Berrameter 29-9 & 8 & 7-10 Latitude 38 51
Long at 3 P.M. 47-5
Friday Decem 13 My watch -46-22
First part light NW Winds with light
rain Middle frequent Squals attended
with rain at 1 A.M. hard Squall from NW
with heavy rain & lightning Double reef
later strong breezes from NNE under
Double reefs So Ends there 24 hours on
Board good Ship Leonidas All hands well
& doo well Except the Cook & he is miserable
as to performing his duty watch Employed
in Ships duty Latitude 38-17
Berrameter 29-8 & 7-10 Long at 2 P.M. 44-49
Variation 1¼ P.W. My Watch 43 8
Saturday 14
Commences with fresh breezes from
Berrameter NNE & fair at 7 wind light at 8 Calm
3 P.M. 29.4 at 9 A breeze sprung up from SSE wore
7 29.2 Ship to the East set M. T. G. Sail at 2 Squals
9 29.2 & strong breezes redust T Sails by A Double
12 Merid reef at 3 hard Squalls & rain took in jibb
29-1-10 & M Sail at 5 blowing hard & heavy rain
C reeft T Sails at 9 A heavy Squall Clued up
F & Mz T Sa ... 10 ... turnd
H. C Cleared ... main
... gales & Squals

Indian Ocean & N Hollan for Sperm Whales

Monday 23 — 1839

Winds first part SW

first part Strang gales & hard Squalls Attended with rain under vary short sail most part of the time at 9 wind Shifted to N&W more moderate set C reefs T sails at 11 under double reefs fair weather later quite moderate weather good A high sea from W&W watch Emplayed in Ships duty
Berrameter first part 29° 7-10ths
later - - - 29° 9-10 Latitude 31-27 or
Variation 14 L W Long at 2 P M 26-12

Tuesday 24 All these 24 hours light winds from W&W to SW & fine weather all sail set to best advantage Emplayed in ships duty saw grate quanties of gulphweede A high swell from W&W which I allow 12 miles
Berrameter 30° to 30 & 1-10 Latitude 30-16
Variation 1¾ L W Long at 2 By Chro 25-01

Wednesday 25
All these 24 hours light S.W. winds & fine weather Steering by the wind All sail set At 4 A M saw A sail of weather quater Steering to N & E So Ends saw nathing in the shape watch Emplayed in ships duty all hands well
Latitude 29-07
Long at 2 23-58

Thursday 26
All these 24 hours fine breezes from W.SW to SW Bos first part A sail of lea beem Standing to S & E later saw anather of weather beem Standing to the west at 9 P M tacked to N & W at 1 A. M. tacked to SSE So Ends all sail set Steering by the wind
Berrameter Stands all these 24 hours 30° 1-to 2-10
Latitude 28-00
Long - - 22-32

Friday 27
All these 24 hours light winds from SW to WSW with passing claudes at 4 P M saw A shoale of blackfish lawcredall 3 boates & saw them no more later saw A sulpe batom whale
Latitude 26-57
Berrameter 30° 1-10 Long at 2 P M 21-02
Variation W

Remarks On Board Ship Leonias

Saturday December 28 - 1839
first part light breezes from SW to SSW
& fine Middle & later fresh & hazy Saw
3 Sail ahead 2 on the Same tack & 1 on the aposite
at 9 P.M. tacked Ship   Latitude 26-49 or
Berrameter at 1 P.M. 30½-10   Long at 4 P.M. 21-51
Later — — — 29-9-10

Sunday 29
Commences with strong breezes from SW
with passing Clouds at 3 P.M. tacked to
S & E at 11 strong breezes with lightning
Double reeft T Sails at 11 ware Ship furld
M Sail & Gibb at 2 hard Squalls with rain
& lightning C reeft later Strong gales from
SW b S rainy & Squally weather under Small
Sail at 3 ware Ship to S at 5 ware to West
wind varies from W to South at 4 heavy
thunder at 8 Saw a Ship of lea beem
Berror 29-9-to 4-10ths   No Observation

Monday 30
Commences with fresh gales & Squally
& Showery under C reifs & reef F Sail at
4 P.M. ware Ship to S & E at 9 ware back
furld F & Mz T Sails Middle & later Strong
gales & hard Squalls attended with rain & lightning
vary bad & wilde looking weather wind varies
in Squalls   Latitude — 27-06
Berrameter 29-7½ to 6-10ths   Variation 1¾

Tuesday 31
first part strong gales from SW to WSW
with hard Squalls at 6 ware Ship to South
Middle More Moderate Maide Small Sail
Ends with lively breezes & Same Squalls
all Sail Set,   Latitude 26-27
Berrom 29° 5½ to 7½-10   Longitude 21-18

Wednesday January 1th 1840
First part strong breezes & Squally &
Showery Middle fi[illegible]e & pleasent all
Sail Set to good ad[illegible]ntage later Small
breezes from N & E & N[illegible] Saw a sail to
the South   Latitude 25-03
Berr[illegible]m 29 8 to 9-10ths L[illegible]tude — 21-17

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Thursday January 2th
All these 24 hours Small & bafling breezes from all Most Evary point of the Cumpass & Calm weather with the exception of A few light Squalls with rain later part Saw A Sail of larboard beem So Ends light airs from NE Berrometer 30° & 30-1-10
Variation 1 ½ P W Latitude — 24-32 N

Friday 3th
First & middle part fine breezes from ENE & pleasent weather later strong trades & passing Cloudes at 5h 30m P M set 1 F. ~~T. sail~~ T M studingsail At 7 A M Saw Cumpers So Ends these 24 hours watch Emplayed in ships duty Course SW B S Latitude 22-32
Berrameter 30°1-10th Long at 3 P M 21-54 W

Saturday 4
All these 24 hours fresh trades & fine weather at 1 P M saw A breach run for it praved to be A humpback So Ends all hands well Course SWBS Latitude 20-11
Long at 3 P M by Chro 22-45

Sunday 5
All these 24 hours lively trade winds & flying Cloudes first part saw A sail 1 Point of L quater later saw A ship of leabeem steering about SSW So Ends
Latitude 17-40
Longitude at 4 by Chro 23-48

Monday 6
All these 24 hours fresh trades & fine weather at 6 P M double reeft & luft to the wind heading to the north at 12 ware ship to S & E at 3 ware again at 5-30 kept of steered SW turnd out all reefs & set T. G. Sails & F T studing sail So Ends these 24 hours in the latitud of St. Nicolas & 8 miles to the east & no land in sight ~~No A~~ Chronameter is not right & no Almanac for 1839 & 1840 is not on distant & we Are in A pretty box
Latitude 16-28
Longitude at 4 P M 24-42

Ship Leanidas of F from Fairhaven towards

Tuesday January 7th 1840

All these 24 hours lively trades & fine weather at 1 P.M. Steered W b N find that the Chranometer & reckning are neather right & there is a possibility of beein between Isle Sal & St Nicolds at 6 Double reeft & Steered by the wind by the Night at daylight kept of N W run 6 miles it beeing vary clear & good seaing for this part of the Ocean & knowing by the distance run to the westward that there is no passibility of being within the islands above mentioned & thereby are all mast confident that the ship is to the westward of the whale groape at 7 wore ship & steered by the wind to S E ~~by the wind~~ under single reefs

Latitude 16-14

Wednesday 8 Langitude at 4=30 P.M. 24=26

All these 24 haurs lively trades weather fine with flying claudes at 8=30 P.M. tacked to the North at 1-30 A.M. tacked again at 5h 30m a brig crast aur wake steering South So Ends these 24 haurs at 2 P. Merridean gat a lunar abservation which gives the ship 1° 41' to the west of the Chranameter this abservatian being the first sence we sailde allaw the Chranameter 10" dayly loss instead 3" gain brings her up to Chro

Lat 15° 33'

By Lunar Langitude at 2 P.M. 26-28

Thursday 9 By Chro 23-47

All these 24 haurs strang trades & fine weather at 11 30 P.M. tacked to the North at 3 tacked to SE at 2 Past Meridian Brava Bearing East 44 Miles Latitud 14-52

Long at 2 25 24

If E. G. F. is far far away oer the blue & watery main & A. F. is far feam his native share that he has so lately bid adieu to

N. Holland to cruise for S Whales H. N. Stuart (Command)

Friday January 10th 1840

All these 24 hours strong trades & flying cloudes at 6 P.M put one reef in the T Sails later turnd them out at 6 A.M saw the appearance of land bearing ENE per Compass but soon disapeared behinde the smoke
At 8 A.M. brava bearing N.E.By.N. Dist 20 miles blowing strong & raughf the Captain give up looking any longer for the island kept of & steered south so hear she goes as she left ham with 22 all tolde on board with N fool for N. Cook Latitude at Merid 14°=14'
Variation 1½ P.W.

Saturday 11th

All these 24 hours strong trades & fine weather T-G Sails & F. T. M studingsail set mastheads well mand but saw nathing watch Emplayed first part setting up rigging later repairing N. M. T. sail Course South
Latitude 11°=32 N

Sunday 12

All these 24 hours lively trades from ENE to NE fine weather & flying cloudes
Saw nathing Course S by E Latitude 8=58

Monday 13 Long at 3 P.M - - 23=22 W

All these 24 hours fine NE trades & fine weather later part all hands employed in staying masts &C Course SSE
Latitude 6=38

Tuesday 14th

All these 24 hours light breezes & fine All hands employed in setting rigging later saw blackfish lowere & took one took him in on deck & of with his jacket

Wednesday 15 Course SSE Long 20°=37'

All these 24 hours light & lafling breezes from East to North with squall cloudes hanging araund middle lightning in the south later 3 sail in sight 2 baund to the south & 1 to north so ends emplayed in ships duty
Latitude 3° 59 N

Eunice G. Tobey. fairhaven she was ...

Ship Leonidas of &c from the Port of

Thursday 16 January 1840
All these 24 hours light airs from most quarters of the Cumpass & Calms first & middle parts heavy showers & thunder attended with lightning later part started the works boilde out the 13 fish made 24 bbls Latitude 3=55 N

Friday 17 Long at 2 PM 19=59 W
All these 24 hours light & bafling breezes all round the Cumpass & Calms first part fine middle rain thunder & lightning the Ship has made but little way at 12 saw A sail astern No Observation

Saturday 18th
All these 24 hours light & bafling breezes from SE to WSW & Calms first & middle showery later 3 sail in sight saw nothing like A whale watch employed in ships duty fitted new main T.G. backstays Latitude 5=23
Berrameter stands at 30° varies but little in this latitude

Sunday 19th
All these 24 hours small breezes from all most evary point of the Cumpass & Calms with some rain a good lookout kept but saw no whales 3 sail in sight
No Observation

Monday 20
first part light south winds with rain middle & later parts small breezes from E N E to North & fine sent up New M. T. G. backstais middle part set S. sails Le & alaft 3 sail in sight Latitude 2=41 N

Tuesday 21st
All these 24 hours small & bafling breezes & Calms maide but a little distance 3 sail in sight all bound to the south watch employed in ships duty sent out T jibb boom & bent sail No Observ

Wednes 22
Commences with light south winds & rainy middle from N E to East squally & showery ends with A fine breeze from SE b S & passing Clouds past A danish Brig bound the same so ends ships speede 5 k per hour Latitude 1=25 N
Long 2 P M

Fairhaven towards New Holland for S. Whales

Thursday 23th
All these 24 hours fine breezes from SE to SSE & fine weather all sail set steering by the wind later part saw A hump back 2 sail in sight watch employed in ships duty later repairing Main T Sail Latitude 00 19' N

Friday 24 Long 21-42
All these 24 hours light breezes from SSE & fine weather at 9 AM lowered for A shoal of B fish Could not fasen all sail set to the best advantage steering by the wind we finde that there is A strong curent setting to the N & W so ends watch employed in repairing T sails Latitude 00=07 N

Saturday 25
Commences with light breezes from SSE & fine at 8 PM light airs from south & rainy tacked ship to ESE Middle & later fine breezes from south to SSE & fine weather at daylight saw A brig 2 Points of starb bow on same tack at 12 merid of weather beem So ends watch employed in ships duty repairing sails Latitude 00 48 N

Sunday 26 Long at 10 AM 22=04 W
All these 24 hours light breezes from SSE & fine weather at 11 PM tacked ship to SW. So ends all sail set at 9 saw A pinlack At 9-30 AM Got A lunar observation which makes the ship 1° 44' to the west of the Chronam the Lunar is suposed to be within A few miles By allowing the Chro 16" per day rate sense we saild brings her up with lunar Latitude 00 38 N
Long at 9h 30m by lunar 23=32
By Chro 21-48

Monday 27
All these 24 hours small breezes from SSE & SE & fine weather all sail set steering by the wind L tacks aboard later part watch employed in turning out & in rigging or Comenced on the fore Latitude 00=14
Long at 9 h AM Lunar 24=08
By Chro 21=49

Leonidas

Tuesday 28
All these 24 hours light breezes from SE
& fine weather Employed in squaring
the lower rigging saw finbacks
thanks be to the god of heaven Latitude 00 09 S
that we are to the south of the line
after A long & teagus passage I antisipate
that day when we shall cross it
again with A full Cargo of Sperm Oil
& all well I Can Emmagin My feelings
if not acquainted with no bad tidings
from home previous to the time O what
A Contrast of feelings when sailing
from or towards home or yes & far greater
betwen parting & Meeting for you well sweet
America & sweet love to I inhopes to meet
again or I should be Miserable O sweet
& heavenly breezes waft our ship along
to the distant seas that we May be
sailing towards our native Climee again
in A less time than is Expected O may
the almity who rules & rains the creation
grant it Long by lunar at 8 AM 24-36
Wednesday 29 By Chro 22=26
All these 24 hours light SE trades
& fine weather at 7 P M past A barque
Ship steering to the North later saw
A number of birds heading from SSW
to SbW all these 24 hours the Current is
not so strong as it has ben for these
number of days Latitude 1=043
Long at 8 AM Luna 24=41
Thursday By Chro — 24=30
30 first part light breezes & fine
Middle lively & squally later fresh
& fair at 6 P M past A large ship
steering to the North watch Employed
in ratlen rigging & various other jobs
all hands well & in good
sperits Latitude 2-08
Long at 8 AM Luna 25 32

A x T & E. i. C. A.

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Friday 31th January 1840
All these 24 hours lively trades from SE to SEbS & fine weather steering by the wind saw A finback employed in rattlin & sundry other jobs
Latitude 3 = 35 S

Saturday February 1th Long at 2 PM by Chro 26=14=15
All these 24 hours fine breezes & pleasent weather steering by the wind heading up from SW to SSW All Sail Set to good advantage Saw A finback So Ends this weeke have turnd out & in all fore & main rigging squared seized & ratled the same
Latitude 5=08 S

Sunday 2th
All these 24 hours fine trade winds & pleasent weather at 10 AM Saw A ship of lea beem steering about NNE Mastheads well mand but saw nothing
Latitude 6°=38'

Monday 3 Long at 3 PM by Chro 28=04
All these 24 hours fresh trade winds & passing Claudes Latitude 8°=48'

Tuesday 4 Long at 3 28=21
All these 24 hours fresh trade winds & fine weather heading from SbW to SWbS watch emplayed in squaring Backstays Mz rigging & various other jobs So Ends all Sail Set
Latitude 10=44

Wednesday 5
first part lively breezes & fine weather Middle & later squally with Showers at 10 PM Double reeft at 6 AM all Sail Set
No Observation

Thursday 6
All these 24 hours fresh trades & some squally Saw nathing watch emplayed in sundry jobs about the rigging tarring &C
Latitude 13=45
Langitude at 3 PM 30=1?

Ship Leonidas towards
Friday February 7th 1840
these 24 hours fresh breezes from S.E.b.S to East & squally middle with heavy showers T.G. sails field most of the time latter saw et sail of leabeem steering to the North Latitude 15-18 S
Long at 3 P.M. by lunar 30-10
By Chro add 58" to the Chro rate since last
Saturday 8 lunar 30=28
All these 24 hours lively trades from N.E. to E.S.E. first part some squally saw nothing so ends all sail set to best advantage making the best of our way to the South all hands well & in good spirits
Latitude 17=39
By lunar at 2 P.M. 30=05
Sunday 9 By Chro 30=13
All these 24 hours lively trades & fine steering by the wind heading up South & S.b.E. watch emplayed in ships duty the first part At 2 30 P.M. Trinedad Island bore S 68° E Dist 59 miles by fore observations Latitude 19=52 S
Long at 2=30 by Chro 29=55
Monday 10 By Lunar 30=07
All these 24 hours fine breezes & some squally with light showers saw severall birds this day Comenced grinding craft Lat 21=52
Tuesday 11
All these 24 hours lively breezes from ~~East to N.E.~~ ESE to East Middle some squally & rain later steering S.b.E. watch emplayed in ships duty B Steeres grinding craft Cooper making B paddles Carpenter moldings for mankey boards the rest on rigging taring &c
Latitude 23=37
Eunice Cy Tobey 1840 Long at 2-30 P.M. 29=00

New Holland for S Whales

Wednesday 12th
All these 24 hours light breezes from East to NE the Sea Smooth O that we Could See the Spermacittes in this fine weather
Course SSE Variation 6° W Latitude 25° 30' S
Thursday 13 Long at 2 P.M. 28=22
All these 24 hours light breezes from NE to N.N.E. & fine weather Studingsails set lower & aloft Course SSE Saw nothing
Friday 14 Latitude 26=54
All these 24 hours light & baffling breezes from ENE to NNE Clear & hot weather but not A Spout of A whale to be seen watch employed in Sundry jobs of Ships duty Joseph Demmock quite Sick of duty Latitude 27=45
Saturday 15 Long at 3 P.M. 27=10=30
All these 24 hours Small breezes from NE & Calms at 2 P.M. saw A Sail of Starboard beem these last 3 weeks the watch have ben to work Steedy on the rigging have turnd out & in Spliste in Squared Seezed of rattled & tard the rigging fore & aft & lower & aloft & various other jobs to numerous to Mention weather vary hot Latitude 28=31
Sunday 16 Long at 5 P.M. = 26=51
Commences with Calms at 6 P.M. light airs from SE all hands had A Swim by lowering 2 boates at different times & pulling A distance from the Ship at 9 P.M. tacked to South Small breezes from ESE later from NE at Daylight A Sail in sight astern 8 miles distance at Meridian at Meridian had neared us 3 or 4 miles Latitude 29°00
the weather is vary warm Long at 4 P.M. 26=16

Ship Leonidas

Monday 17 February 1840
All these 24 hours small breezes from NE to NNE Clear & vary pleasent weather & warm all sail set to the best advantage at 11 P.M Spake the British Barque Wallace 60 days from N. London for Bom-Ba. later 3 sail in sight Latitude 29=57

Tuesday 18
All these 24 hours light winds from North to NW fine & pleasent weather All sail set to the best Advantage watch Employed in fitting flukeropes hoisting pendnants braiking out & Making same new araingments betwendecks &C our ship slipps along at hur Ease oer the blue seas as tho she was able to perform hur task or the long voyage O Blow sweet & heavenly breezes & speede us along where the sperm whales do Ilain O May the god of heaven & who holdes the sea & all there in & an at his Command guide us to A fertile spot of the Ocean wher we may be succesful to our satisfaction & preserve us through all dangers & safley guide us to our shores & Dear Companians & friends
Course SE Latitude 30°50'

Wednesday 19
first part light NW winds & pleasent weather Middle Ninely later strong & raughf sed Mostley Clauday at 12 Merid took in M. T. G. Studingsails Latitude 32=15

Thursday 20 Long at 3 PM 22 56
first part fresh gales from NW & squaly & Showery at 2 P.M took in all S sails at 3 Double reeft Middle Moderate & fair Spake Barque United States 50 days from Boston later light South winds & fine Our Berrameter is in Motion again she has ben nearly invariable for some time not varying abace 2 ths in low Latitudes she stood at 30° to 30-2 ths Latitude 33°27
[illegible] Longitude at 4 20°25'-30

Towards N. Holland

Friday 21th.
Commences with small breezes from West & fine weather Middle part strong from NW & squally took in all ~~sail~~ studingsails & M. T. G. sail later fresh gales & hard squalls under double reef ~~F. T.~~ M. T. sail C reef fore & forsail set saw a number of M whale birds abbertrases &C Course SE Latitude 34-37
Long at 3 P.M Chro 17-44

Saturday 22th.
first part strong gales & passing cloudes under C reefs Middle more moderate turnd one reef out T. sails later quite moderate & a high swell under single reefs Course SE

Sunday 23 Latitude 35° 37'
All these 24 hours strong & unsteady breezes from SWBW to SBW & some squally under single reefs most of the time Course SE BS to Tristran & Acunha at 6 A.M saw kelp at 11 A.M saw the Island bearing SSE By Cumpas Latitude at Meridian
the Chronometer has lost 18 3/10" Dayly since we saild
Long at 3-11°-32' | 36° 23' S
By English Shop 17 = 35 E W
The Island 12-02
Berrameter has ris these 24 hours from 29°7 1th to 30°

Monday 24th.
Commences with lively breezes from SW & passing cloudes Middle from South to SSE & overcasts all sail set later light from South clear & pleasent Onbent & bent our olde fore & main Courses Course ESE
Berrameter from 30° up to 30°-2th Latitude 36° 20'

Tuesday 25 Longitude at 5 P.M 9-07
First part light breezes from South middle from SW later fine breezes from NW weather fine with passing cloudes at 4 P.M Berrameter 30° 24th at 12 merid 30°1 th

Wednsday 26 Latitude 36°-49'
First & Middle parts of these 24 hours lively breezes from NW fine weather later strong & hazy Course SEBE
Ber[illegible] has fell gradual Latitude 37°-[illegible]

Thursday 27 February 1840
First & middle parts of these 24 hours fresh gales from NW to NWbN Cloudy with light rain later More Moderate & fair T G Sails lower & T. M. studingsails set Saw nothing watch Employed in Ships duty
Course SEbyE Latitude 38° 00 S
Berram at 12 PM 29-9½ ths Long at 8 AM 1° 38 W
at 12 Meridian 29° 8 ths

Friday 28
First part fresh breezes from WNW L & T Mast Studingsail set & M. T. G. Sail at 7 Took in S sails Middle fresh gales & Cloudy at furld. M. T. Sail & M. T. G Sail at 12° 30 m AM Double reeft at 6 Saw A whales Carcase Ends with Strong gales & squally under C reefs
Course ESE wind West Latitude 38-15
Berrometer fell gradurly Long at 5 PM 3-25
down to 29° 6 ths at 4 at 12 Meridian up to 7 ths

Saturday 29
All these 24 hours strong gales from NNW & Mostley Cloudy the Sea rough Watch Employed in Making Scrubbrooms
Course ESE Latitude 37° 57
Long at 3-30 PM 6-56

Sunday March 1 th
First part of these 24 hours Strong gales from WNW & Mostley Cloudy under double reefs Middle More moder & Overcasts turnd out all reefs & set M. T. G. Sails later light breezes from NW Clear & pleasent A high swell from West Studingsails set Course ESE
Berrometer 29° 9 ths Latitude 37° 38
Long at 5 PM 9-54

Monday 2 th
All these 24 hours lively breezes from NW to West later fine rain
Course SEbE watch Employed in Ships duty Saw nothing
No Observation

Eunice G Tabey 6000 miles NW far far of over the blue [illegible] thout [illegible]
[illegible] the [illegible]

Tuesday March 3 1841
All these 24 hours light breezes from West
to SW hazy & overcasts later part unbent
F. T. G. Sail to repair Course SEbE all hands
well on board   Latitude 38 06 S

Wednesday 4   Long at 5 P.M 15-24 E
First & middle parts of these
24 hours light breezes from SW to SSW
& fine weather bent F T G Sail unbent
H Spencer to reduce the size later
light breezes from WNW & pleasent
Sea Smooth unbent repaired & bent
Mizen T. sail again So Ends Course SEbE
the Sea is Smooth our Ship roles along
at her ease before the Sweet & fair
breeze towards the cruising grounde
& that I am inhapes that will speedely
be for ~~I~~ the anxciety of may minde
is greate to git a voyage & be retraising
our ~~St~~ Course back again from whence
we Came then the marliners hart will
glow with love & unexpresible ~~H~~ anxiety
to see his native Shore & Companion
& friends again O May that time Came
shorter than is rearly Expected but the
time looke afar of   Latitude 38-03
at present

Thursday 5
First part light breezes & pleasent
Middle & later lively from WNW Cloudday
with Some light rain bent H Spencer
several Sunfish Course SEbE
have Cleared decks at 4 o clock Sence
we arived to the latitude of 30° South
                                        Latitude 38-01

Friday 6   Long at 3 P.M   17-30
All these 24 hours lively breezes from
NorW to West & Mastley Cloudday with Same
light rain at 1 P.M Came in to a Strong
Curent as near as I Can Juge runing from
3 to 4 miles per hour about SW which makes
the Sea very raugh at 10 P.M went out of it
Sea became Smooth   Latitude 38-37

G. G. Tabey

Remarks on Board Ship Leonidas

Sunday March 7th 1840
First part lively breezes from WSW & light showers of rain Middle light from SW some squally later small breezes from SE clear & pleasent T. aboard watch employed in ships duty
Latitude 37°55 =
Berrometer 30° 1 to 2th Long at 3 P.M. 24=05

Sunday 8
Commences with light breezes from ESE & fine weather Middle lively from ENE last Tacks aboard later light airs & Calms At meridian light breeze from West clear warm & pleasent the smooth squared the yards & set studingsails it is pleasent the seen is beautiful but tarly to me I view the Ocean & skie not hardley A claude on its brow or A roughple on the Bosom of the unfathanable deepe our ship leighs at hur eas with hur lofty Canvass hanging to the mast the Cordage is eased by the stillness of the breeze & seems to draw it self up again from its haven ben so frequently stretcht & straind all mast asunder &c but soon I think thay will have to bare A strain again the yards will soon come reeling down the well slusht masts by slacking halyards & taughtning the geer the sea is Calm & smoath the Atmastphere clear the sun with all hur brightness spreads hur glairing rais oer the wide Ocean yes & oer the land of my nativity & the land of liberty & O man it shine brighter on my lovely

Monday 9
Commences with light breezes from West & pleasent at 6 took A heavy squall from SW with rain took in all ~~Sail~~ ~~A~~ light sails Creept & furld F & M T. Sails Middle more moderate set [illegible] later under double reefs Latitude O. 37=48
Long Obs [illegible]-36

On A Whalevoyage W. N. Stuart Comander

Tuesday March 10th

First part of these 24 hours Strong breezes from NW to SW & overcasts under Double reefs Middle light bafling & flawy later light airs from SE & calms weather fine watch Emplayed in Ships duty

at 1 P.M Berr 29-9½ 4ths — Latitude 37-25

at 12 Middle 30°1½ 4ths — Long at 5 By Chro 30=35

Wednesday 11th

Commences with Calm lowered ot boate & Caried Same Slush & toled up & Shot Several gonies Middle part light breezes from North later fine breezes from NW fine weather All Sail set to the best Advantage Blow fair ye heavenly breezes & waft us along to our Cruising ground — Latitude 37 45

Long at 4-30 — 33 13

Thursday 12

First & Middle parts of these 24 hours light NW winds with Squal Claudes hanging araund the horizan later light from WSW & fine painted the quater boates So Ends Saw nathing Course SE BE — Latitude 37-45

Friday 13 — Long at 4-30 P.M 35=35

Commences with Calm Middle lively breeze from North & fine later Strong & passing Claudes Emplayed in painting Boates So Ends Saw nathing Course SE

Latitude Obs 38=04

Saturday 14 — Long at 4=30 P.M 38=49

Commences with Strong breezes from North passing Claudes Middle fresh gales & Squally with thunder & lightning Close Reeft later Strong gales & Same rain At 11 wind Shifted to SW moderate & rainy Course SE BE — No Observation

Berrameter at 4 P.M 29-7½ at 4 A.M 29-7½ at Meridian 29-9½ 4ths

Ship Leonidas (P) A D 1840

Sunday March 15th
Commences with light airs from SW thick rainy & a rough sea at 3 a lively breeze from West all reefs out at 4 a hard squall from SW attended with rain C. reeft T. sails Middle more moderate & fair all reefs out later strong breezes from SSE & hazy one reef in F & M T sails So Ends saw nothing Latitude 37-50

Monday 16
All these 24 hours strong breezes from SE & cloudy at 2 P M tacked ship to SSW under double reefs most of these 24 hours wind flawy & sea rough at 11 A M saw a ship off weather bow steering North supposed her to be a whaler from a cruise Long at 3 P M 45-21

Barrometer stands all these 24 hours at 30° 2 10ths with the same breeze from West she would stand at 30° from South 30° 1 10th

Tuesday 17
All these 24 hours fresh gales from ESE to East & cloudy with rough sea under double reefs Larb tacks aboard watch employed in ships duty
Barrometer 30-2 10ths Lat 40-26

Wednesday 18
All these 24 hours fresh gales from East to ENE cloudy & hazy weather & rough sea under double reefs standing to the South & East Latitude 41-23
Barrometer 30-2 10ths Long at 4-30 P M 48-00

Thursday 19
Commences with fresh ENE winds & cloudy weather under double reefs Middle moderate all sail set later light & fine watch employed in ships duty saw nothing heading SE Latitude 41-31
Long at 4 P M 49-56.

Towards N Holland

Friday March 20th
First & Middle parts light breezes from ENE to East Clear & pleasent weather Sea Smooth at 6 P.M tacked Ship to NNE at 4 ~~P.M~~ A.M. tacked to SE lively breeze from ENE Ends light & hazy
Berrometer fell to 30° Latitude 41-19 S

Saturday 21
Commences with light breezes from ENE & Cloudy Middle light airs & Calm Ends with light breezes from South & foggy No Observation
Berrameter at Merid 29°84th Long at 5 P.M 52°23

Sunday 22
First & middle parts of these 24 hours light winds from NSW to SSW & foggy Ends with Small airs from SE
Course ESE Saw Nothing these long head winds & light airs & Calms are teages & trying to the minde our progress has ben Small this week past our passage is long 4 months out
Berrameter at Merid 29-7th Latitude Obs 40-58 S

Monday 23 Long at 4 P.M 54-22 E
First part light & bafling airs & dirty weather at 6 A Smart breeze from WNW & rainy Middle bafling & Squally at 1 A.M wind halld to NNW weather fine & A Smart breeze all Sail Set to the best advantage Ends with Strong breezes from NNE & clear all Studing Sails in 3 T.G Sails & F jibb Set this is Delightful to once More to have A favourable wind our Ship is going at the rate of 8 miles per hour that is all that ~~she~~ can passibley go with the wind abeam
Course ESE Berrameter at Merid 29.6th Latitude 40-30

Tuesday 24 Long at 4 57-07
First part fresh breezes from North & passing Claudes at 1 took in T.G Sails at 7 Double reeft at 12 wind Shifted to West attended with heavy Shower of rain Ends with freshgales & passing Claudes
Latitude 40-24
[Cour]se ESE
[Berram]eter at [...] 29-5th at mered 6th Long 60-11

(2) Ship Leonidas

Wednesday March 25th 1840

First part fresh gales from West ~~An~~ under double reefs Middle Moderate all sail set Stud lower & allaft later light & overcasts A high swell Course East unbent F T Sail to repair & bent another Berrameter rises graduly during these 24 hours at 12 merid 29 8ths No Observation

Thursday 26

First & middle parts of these 24 hours Small breezes from West to North & overcasts later light from NW to West & pleasent watch Employed in repairing T sail first part Saw finbacks Course East

Latitude Obs 39-03

Long at Meridian by Lunar 62-55

Berram 29-9 By Chronameter - 63-31

Friday 27

First part of these 24 hours Small breezes from West Middle from SW to SSW & Some Squally later lively breeze from ESE & passing Cloudes Stacks aboard Saw nothing Course East watch Employed in Sundry Jobs Latitude 38-23

Berrameter 30-2 Long at 10-30 AM by Lunar 64-08

Saturday 28 By Chranameter 64-55

First part of these 24 hours fresh breezes from ESE & fair Middle Strong from East & Squally Double reeft later raing at 4 tacked Ship to SE

Berrameter 30°2 to 1th No Observation

Sunday 29

First part of these 24 hours Strong breezes from ENE to NE Squally & raing weather under Double Reefs, tacks aboard Middle light & bafling & Clauday later Calm Clear & pleasent Saw A large sheale of ~~Sperm whale~~ parpases at A distance Latitude 38-01

Long at 9 AM by the mean of 4 lunars 62-45

By Chranameter at 2 P Meridian 64 45

O that we coulde See Same whales & take them like[n] ise

I long to make A Commencement of takeing in our Co[n]-
-xsiety & thorts are such at times that [illegible] no. [illegible]
[illegible] useless this passage is teague.

Towards N. Holland

Monday 30 of March 1840
First & Middle parts of these 24 hours
light breezes from NW to West & fair
At 3 A.M. heavy rain thunder & lightni
at 5 fair set all sail again Course SEBE
Ends with lively breeze from South &
fair Latitude 37-
Long at 11 AM By Lunar 64-17
at 2 PM By Chronameter 66-15

Tuesday 31
First part lively breezes from SS
& passing Claudes Middle fresh from
SWBW & Clauday later Strong from
SSW Clauday & same wet under sing
reefs saw nothing Course SEBE
Berrameter 30-1th Latitude 37-
Long at 4 PM By Chro 68-5
By yesterdays lunar — 66-5

Wendsaay Aprill 1th
First part of these 24 hours Strong breezes
from SSW Clauday & light rain Middle
Moderate at 1 AM wind halld to WSW
set light sails Ends with fine breeze
from West & martley Clauday all sail
Set anbent M jibb to repair Course SEBE
Variation 16 W Latitude 37-

Thursday 2th
First part of these 24 hours light
breezes from WorW Clauday with light
rain Middle same fog at 1 wind shift
to WSW lively breeze later fresh breezes
& passing Claudes saw several Breaches
halld back but saw them no more supa
them to be grampasses kept of & set Studin
again Course SE By E Latitude 38-
Berrameter at Merid 29-8th By Chro Long at 4 PM 73-

Ship Leonidas

Friday Aprill 3th 1840

First part of these 24 hours lively breezes from WNW & fine all sail set at 6-30 strong squall from West took in all light sails at 8 Double reeft

Course SEbE

Middle harde gales & harder squalls attended with rain & lightning Reeft & furld Miz Tsail turnd up W. boate at 4 harder reeft F Course turnd up L. boate Ends hard gales & frequent squalls Latitude 38-12

Berrameter at 4 AM 29-6ths Long at 3 P.M. by Chro 77-01 at Meridian 29-7-2

Saturday 4

First part of these 24 hours strong gales from WSW & frequent Stg squalls at 7h 30m P.M. hove to head to South Middle more moderate wind WNW at 3 AM kept of ESE under single reefs at 9 steered East saw A ship of Starb quarter saw seen porpooses & A good number of birds We are in hapes to git sight of amsterdam Island Ends with fresh gales & rainy

Berram 29-7 to 6ths No Latitude

Long at 9 A M by Chro 78-42

Lunars 76-42

Sunday 5th

First part fresh gales thick rainy at 3 cleared for A short time but smoky saw the appearence of land bearing South halld up for it it soon thickend up again took in sail headed to SSW at 10 wore ship at 2 A M wore again at 6 set single reefs steered SSE till 8 & then SE strong breeze from NW flying cloudes & vary smoky Coulde not see the land more than 10 miles so Ends these 24 hours without any land Latitude 38 42

Long at [illegible] A M by Chro 77-1

Towards N Holland

Monday Aprill 6th
First part Strong winds from NW & over Casts at 6 P.M. Haniwell Burgess fell overboard from the bowsprit rigging in the attemp of running out to strike A porpoos the Ship past over him he came up 2 Ships lengths astern our Commander quickerly sung out hard A Starboard the Starboard boate was Cleared & droped in to the water in A hurry in the mean time On oar was hove overboard our boate was as quicke mand as she struck the water now to Spring my lads for life to save the life of A useful man quick she darts over the ~~Se~~ foaming Sea & against the strong wind & meets him on the oar Swimming for the Ship quick he was halld in & resqued from A watery grave & thank providence that it ~~no~~ is no worse later part Strong breezes from West & passing Claudes Steered SE till 12 middle then ESE 37 00

Tuesday 7
All these 24 hours Strong breezes from West & fair Saw nothing but A plenty porpoozes Caught one Course East
Latitude 38-00
Long at 3 P.M. By Chro 87-35
By Lunar 86-35

Widnesday 8
First part lively breezes from West & fair Middle light & bafling later Some light showers Small & bafling breezes & Calms Saw nothing Latitude 37-1
Course East Long at 4 P.M. Chro 89-2
By Lunar 88-23

Thursday 9
All these 24 hours light & bafling breezes from NNW to WSW & overcasts Saw nothing later unbent Foresail to repair
Course East

Ship Leonidas

Friday April 10 – 1840
First & middle parts of these 24 hours light & baffling breezes from N.NW to North & Calms first part finisht repairing & bent the Fr sail Ends with A light breeze from North saw A Humpback Caught A shark 10 feet long skind him & took out his liver
Course East Latitude 31–44

Saturday 11th
All these 24 hours fine breezes from NNW to NW Clear & fine weather all sail set to the best advantage saw nothing Course E By N Latitude 35=41
Long at 2 P.M. By chro tristrand rate 95–12
By A Star lunar or Alderbaren 94–28

Sunday 12th
All these 24 hours lively breezes from NW to WNW weather fine & pleasent
Course E By N saw Nothing Latitude 34–32
Long at 2 P.M. By Chro 98=25

Monday 13
All these 24 hours light breezes from the Westedward & fine to westward saw A finbacs
Course ENE Latitude 33–17
Long at 2 P.M. By Chro 100–04

Tuesday 14
First part small breezes from SW middle light & Calms later light breezes from ESE & fine Commenced painting starboard side of ship Course E By N
Latitude 32–
Long at 4 P.M. By Chro 100–4

Wednesday 15
First part of these 24 hours light breezes from ESE Clear & plesent Middle from ENE to NE later lively at 8 P.M. tacked ship to ESE
Latitude 33–10

Towards N Holland

Thursday 16
All these 24 hours light & bafling breezes from the Eastward & beutifull weather saw nothing Employed in painting Ship & fine it is for the work
Latitude 33 - 14

Friday 17 Long at 4 P M By Chro 102 - 15 E
All these 24 hours small breezes from the Eastward & bafling with Calms fineisht painting out side of the Ship & some inside Lat 32 - 41

Saturday 18
All these 24 hours light breezes from East to NE first & middle parts Clear later Overcasts saw Several breaches just at sunset at 4 P M tack ship to ESE fitted one of the overhed Boates

Sunday 19 No Observation
First & middle part of these 24 hours light & unsteddy breezes from NE to North & overcasts later light & steady from N & N W & pleasent Course E N E
Latitude 31 - 52

Monday 20 Long at 4 P M By Chro 104 - 32
All these 24 hours vary light weather winds bafling from N & E to N N W & fine weather later saw 2 sails one ahead the other Astern saw finbacks fitted the other spare Boate Course E N E Latitude 31 - 36
Long at 4 P M By Chro 105 - 28

Tuesday 21 By Lunar rate 104 - 09 - 30
Commences with light breezes from N N W & clear middle from North later N N W fine & steady at 10 lowered & took 1 Blackfish & hoisted him in on deck Course E N E Mr Taber has not ben able to do Duty for this several days has ben plaged with the rheumatick pains or some other bad complaint in his hip
Latitude 30 - 53
Long at 4 P M By Chro 106 - 54

Ship Leonidas of the West Cost

Wednesday Aprill 22th 1840

First part of these 24 hours fine breezes from NW to WNW & some squally middle lively from the Westward & fine later strong breezes from south to SSE & flying Cloudes saw finbacks Course ENE

Latitude at merid 29-33

Long at 2 P M By Chro 108=53

Thursday 23 at Lunar rate — 107=32

First & Middle parts of these 24 hours fresh breezes from SE & flying Cloudes at sunset took in sail for the night & set Boates Crues watches at daylight set single reef T. sails strong breezes & overcasts saw junpers this day unbent all studingsails & stowed away geer & booms Lat 28 57

Long at 2 By Chro 109-32

Friday 24

All the 24 hours fresh gales from SSE to SE & mostley overcasts under single reefs at sunset took in sail for the night at 10 ware ship to S&W at 6 A M ware back set Closs reef F. & Mz T sails & Double main at 9-30 saw A large sperm whale lowered gat handy he went down & saw him no more Latitude 28-39

Long at 9 A M By Chro 109-47

Saturday 25 By Lunar rate 108 23

First & Middle parts of these 24 hours fresh gales from the SE & flying Cloudes at 8 P M tacked ship to S&W at 6 A M set Double reefs at 7 wore to ENE Ends More Moderate under single reefs the sea raughf past through strong tide rips Latitude 28-26

Long at 8-30 A M By Chro at Nantucket rate 109-29

By Lunar rate 8-08

By the mean of 2 Lunars 8-57-8

Off C. Holland Cruiseing for Sperm Whales

Sunday 26th

All these 24 hours fresh gales from SE & flying cloudes at 4 P.M lowered for

Sperm whales Saw 2 at sunset Came aboard Could not git near them it being vary roughf & the whales had no regler Course Saw: A good Many large whales from the Ship in different Directions thay were at home appearently moving in different directions at 1 A.M wore ship to S&E at 7-30 wore again at 10 to the Eastward Saw nothing Boilde out A Blackfish Lat 28-34

Long at 9 A.M By Chro - 109-41

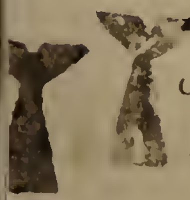
108-20

Monday 27 By Lunar 107-03

All these 24 hours fresh gales from SE & flying Cloudes first part heading to the E&E Middle & later to SSW under double reefs Saw nothing Latitude 28 44

Long at 9-30 By Chro 109-48

Tuesday 28th By Lunar 107-04

All these 24 hours Strong double reef T. sail breezes from SE & flying Cloudes at 2 P.M

Steering N&W Saw A whale turn tale in the Sun glade near the Ship lowered 2 botes but saw him no more headed to the Eastward all night at 7 A.M Saw 2 large Sperm whales going to windward fast Did not lower the Sea vary roughf Latitude 28-10

The last 4 days hav got 12 Lunars { Long By Lunar at 9 A.M -107-14
& all aggree within a fue miles & suppose them to give the true Long allowing the Chronometer to loose 27" per day Sinse we left the Frastrand Island Brings the Long to agree with Lunars

Wednesday 29

All these 24 hours fresh gales from SE & Clear at 4 P.M Saw several large

Sperm whales but did not git near anaughf to lower later Saw nothing

Latitude 28-14

Long at 9 A.M By Last lunar rate 107-14

Ship Leonidas Cruiseing of West

Thursday Aprill 30th 1840
First part More Moderate than usual later fine steady breeze from from SE & plasent weather & good whale weather but no whales to be seen with the Mastheads Double Mand most part of the time with open Eyes & Anxious mindes as Ever swep the horrizon from the masthead with an naked Eye but all in vain this is hard & trying after seeing whales most Every day in bad weather & not see any in good but it Cant be helpt so it is no use to fret
Latitude 28-03

Friday May 1 Long at 3 P M By Lunar rate 107-05
All these 24 hours from the SE & East & beautiful weather but no whales all hands well Latitud 28 31

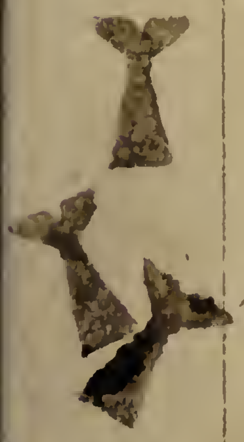
Saturday 2 Long at 2 P M 107-04
First & middle parts of these 24 hours Calm at 4 A M small breeze from NNW at 10 saw a large sperm whale 2 miles to windward lowered all 3 boates but did not see him out the boates & only once from the ship Ends with fresh breeze & hazy Latitude by account 28 35

Sunday 3 Long at 3 P M 107-30
First part strong breezes & hazy middle Middle fresh gales from NW & Ohard squalls & rain Ends with hard gales from West & harder squalls at 11 took in Main Topsail set F spencer & baked the staisail

Monday 4 Latitude 29-09
First & middle parts of these 24 hours heavy gales from N b W & heavyer squals attended with rain laying to under F spencer & Clost mizen at 1 P M wore ship to NNW later more Moderate made small sail at 10 wore ship to SSE A high swell
Berrometer at merid first 29-4th Latitude Obs 28 40
at 6 P M 29-6 at merid 28 Long at 2-30 P M 108 17

Coast off N. Holland for Sperm Whales

Tuesday May 5



Commences with fresh breezes from SW passing clouds & high swell Middle light & variable later Night from NNW & unsteady at 8 AM lowered 2 boats for A Shoal of small Sperm whales 2 miles to windward & going fast Could not Catch them So Ends L. back aboard

Latitude 28-36
Long at 3 P.M - 108-31

Wednesday 6

First part fresh breezes from North to NW & squally with showers of rain Steered to the Eastward at sunset took in Sail & headed to S & W Middle moderate later light from SSW Clear & pleasent weather all Sail Set at 9 Steered North So Ends Saw nothing Latitude 28-31

Thursday 7

Commences with light breezes from SSW Clear & pleasent weather at 1 P.M. Saw A large whale at 1-30 lowered at 3 Struck killd at 5 took him along Side furld Sail rove the falls got Supper & Set the watch later light breezes from SSW all hands Employed in ~~bailing~~ Cutting

Friday 8

All these 24 hours Small breezes from South to SE & fine first part all hands employed in Cutting at 5 finesht later Bailing Saw nathing Latitude 28-33
Long at 3 P.M 108-24

Saturday 9

All these 24 hours light & baffling breezes from SE to East & fine weather Employed in bailing Saw nothing

Ship Leonidas Cruising

Sunday May 10th
First & middle part of these 24 hours Calm later fresh gales from SSW Squally & some rain heading to the West under Short Sail Employed in boiling saw finbacks all hands Well Latitude 28=15

Monday 11 Long at 4 P M — — 107-31
First part of these 24 hours fresh gales from South & passing Cloudes at 4 P M finesht boiling wore Ship to the ESE Middle more moderate later light & bafling breezes from SSE to SE & overcast Starboard tacks aboard saw nothing
Latitude 27-49

Tuesday 12 Long at 4 P M — 108-24
All these 24 hours fine breezes from SE & same Cloudy at 5-30 P M took in sail & wore Ship to the westward later all hands Employed in stowing down saw nothing Latitude 27-57

Wednesday 13
All these 24 hours light breezes from SE & fine weather Standing to the South & West saw nothing but finbacks first part finesht stowing down
Latitude 28-33

Thursday 14 Long at 2 P M 107-22
First part of these 24 hours fine breezes from SE clear & pleasent weather larboard tacks aboard at sunset tacked ship to ENE later lively from North to NNW & fine all sail set standing to NE saw nothing but finbacks Latitude 28 17
Long at 3 P M By Chrd 107-29

Friday 15th By Lunar at 7 108-30
First part of these 24 hours fresh breezes from NNW & fine standing to the NE Middle strong & squally from the westward later lively from SW to SSW & fine steering NE saw nothing but finbacks

Of West Coaste of N Holland

Saturday May 16th
All these 24 hours fine breezes from SE to ESE & flying cloudes Steering to N & E By the wind all hands well
Latitude 26-25
Long at 3 P M 109-00

Sunday 17
All these 24 hours moderate breezes from SE & fine weather Standing to the Eastward All these 24 hours saw nothing but finbacks
Latitude 25-12
Long at 3 P M 109-16

Monday 18
First part light breezes from SE & fine Middle lively later light Standing to the Eastward Spoke

Ship

Ship Portland Sagharbor Lane 1600 bbls W Oil 12 months out
Latitude 25-39
Long at 3 P M 110-30-30

Tuesday 19
First & middle parts of these 24 hours lively breezes from SSE & fine later light from SE first part Steered to the N & E Spoke

Ship Mary

Ship Mary N Bedford Nickerson Boiling first whale 75 bbls later Steered to the West saw nothing got A letter
Latitude 25-15
Long at 3 P M By Ship Mary Chr 110-19-15

Wednesday 20
First & middle parts fine breezes from SSE & fine weather later strong & Squally with light rain saw no whales saw A barque ship boiling Standing to the westward
Latitude 25-35
Long at 3 P M 119-16

Thursday 21st
All these 24 hours lively breezes from SSE weather good saw nothing Steering to the S & W by the wind all well on Board
Latitude 26-14
Long at 2-30 P M - 108-17

Ship Leonidas Cruising

Friday May 22th 18
All these 24 hours lively breezes from
NE & flying Claudes Caried double reefs
during the night Steering to the S & W
by the wind Saw nothing Latitude 27-20
Long at 3 P.M 107-34

Saturday
All these 24 hours Strong breezes
from NE to East & flying Claudes
Steering to the South by the wind
Saw no sperm whales Latitude 28-21
Long at 3 P.M 107-37

Sunday 24
All these 24 hours light breezes
from East & fine weather but
not A Devil of A Sperm
Whale to be seen but finbacks
A plenty the Devils own luck
this is enaughf to try A mans
Solecase out Latitude 28-23
Long at 4 P.M 107-39

Monday 25
First part light East winds & pleasent
Standing to the SSE Middle Calm &
thick fog Saw nothing Latitude 28-34
Long at 3 P.M 107-56

Tuesday 26
All these 24 hours light breezes from
East to NE & fine Smooth weather
Middle & later steered to the Eastward
Westward Saw nothing Latitude 28-24
Long at 2 P.M Chro 106-38
By Lunar at 1 P.M 106-34

Wednesday 27
First part light breezes from NNE
& fine steered to the NW by the Wind
at 3 tacked to the East at sunset double
reeft middle light from North at daylight
maide all sail at 8 lowered for A large Sperm
Whale at 9-30 Struck at 3-30 took him
alongside small airs from North & Calm
Latitude 28-15
Long at 2 P.M Chro 107-33

Thursday 28th
Commences with Calm at 3-30 P.M. took
A Whale along side got dinner & Commenced
Cuting middle light breeze from N.E.
later all hands Employed in Cuting
lively breeze from East & fine
No latitude

Friday 29
First & middle parts of these 24 hours
lively breezes from East & fine weather
at Dark finesht Cuting & bailing Case
later all hands Employed in bailing
Cuting junk &C moderate breeze from
East & fine Saw A sail astern
Standing to the South Latitud 27-39

Saturday 30
All these 24 hours light breezes from
N.E. to N.N.W. & fine first & later parts
Steered to South & West Spoke Ship

Ship Brunswick

brunswick Manchester 10 months out
700 whale & 200 Sperm oil 5 weeks
from Madagasker Latitude 28-06
Long at 2-30 P.M. 108-09

Sunday 31
First part light breezes from N.N.W.
& fine Steered S.S.W. middle light rain
later lively from S.S.E. & Same Squally
Employed in bailing No Observation

Monday June 1
First part light breezes from S.E. to E.S.E.
& light rain at Entervils Standing to the
Eastwar middle from North at 4 A.M.
finesht bailing later fresh breezes from
North all hands Employed in Stowing
down Latitude 28-14

Tuesday 2th
First part Strong breezes from West
Squally & Some Rain Stowing down
at 1 P.M. Saw A Shoale of Sperm whales
lowered 2 boates & took one whale along
side at 3 later Cut him in light br
from S.W. & fair a high Swell from
Spoke English barque Pilot 4 months o...

Remarks on Board Ship Leonidas

Wednesday At June 3th 1840
First part fine breezes from South
Standing to the Eastward all hands
Emplayed in Clearing away the head
at 3 Started the works middle light
& bafling breezes later fresh from
North Lt high swell from WSW
Steering to the Eastward by the Wind
Watch emplayed in bailing
Latitude 28-17
Thursday 4 Long at 2-30 P M 109-23
First part fresh breezes from North
& fair Standing to the N&E at 4 P M
Saw Lt Ship Chaising whales at 12
wore Ship to S&W Strong breeze from
NW later fresh gales from W&W to SW
& flying cloudes Made no sail
Latitude 28-1
Friday 5 Long at 3 P M 110-18
All these 24 hours Strong gales from WSW
to SW & Squally at 5 P M wore Ship to
WNW at 7 wore to 11 M wore to SE
Set reef forsail Lt high swell all hands
Emplayed in Stowing dawn the remainder
part of these 24 hours in the forehole
Saturday 6
All these 24 hours Strong gales from
WSW to SW & hard skualls leighing to
at 3 P M finesht Stowing dawn cleared
& washt the decks at 5 wore Ship to the
NW Latitude - 27-40
Sunday 7 Longitude at 3 P M 110-17
First part & middle Strong gales from
SW to South & squally leighing to head to
the westward later More moderate set
hole topsails Steered North saw nothing
but finback ~~Nothing~~ Latitude 27-16
Monday 8 Long at 3 P M 109"30
First & middle parts Strong breezes from
SE middle squally caried double reefs through
the night Steered North later wind bafling
squally with rain Steering North
Nar' Observation

Cruising off West Coast of Holland

Tuesday June 9
First part baffling breezes from S&E squally & showery steering to the North at Sunset took in sail headed to the Eastward at daylight made sail steered to the North at 10 spoke ship Brighton N Bedford Sherman 12 Months out & 800 bbls Sperm Oil saw a barque cuting
Latitude 24-22
Long at 4 P M 109-23

Wednesday 10
All these 24 hours fresh breezes from SE & flying clouds first & middle stood to the N&E later to South saw no whales
Latitude 24-19
Long at 3 P M 109-41

Thursday 11
All these 24 hours fine breezes from East to E&E & fine weather first & later parts stood to the S&E middle to N&E saw 3 ships but no whales
Latitude 24-30
Long at 3-30 P M 109-48

Friday 12
First & middle parts of these 24 hours light breezes from East & fine later from SSE stood to the N&E spoke ship North America Waren Moshier 500 Sperm & 150 whale
Latitude 24"14
Long at 4 P M

Saturday 13
First & middle parts of these 24 hours light breezes from SE & fine spoke ship Mount Vealier 400 Sperm & 850 whale oil & ship Lucy Ann Wilmington Cast 1000 bbls Sperm later lively breeze from SE & fine stood to the SW saw 8 ships
Latitude 24-21

Sunday 14
All these 24 hours fresh breezes from SE & fine weather first part steered to the North middle & later to the N&E

Monday June 15th 1840
All these 24 hours light SE winds
from & fine weather at 12 PM tacked
to the S & W Saw A number of Ships
but no whales Latitude 24"34
Tuesday 16 Long at 3 PM 109"44
All these 24 hours light breezes from
from SE to East & fine weather first
part Steered to the S & W by the wind
at Sunset Spoke English whale Ship
Recovery 4 Months from London 70 bbls
& Barque Waterwitch 4 months out no
oil Middle part Steered SW under
double reefs later Stered N SW
Latitude 25"11
Wednesday 17 Long at 8 PM 109"00
First part of these 24 hours light breezes
from East to ENE & fine Steered West
lanced A large Sulpher batom Whale
& Spouted thight blod he Cut up A prety
Shine Middle fine breeze from ESE
Stood to the South under Single reefs
later fresh from SE at 8 Steered N & W
in Company with Ship Lucy Ann
Latitude 25"04
Thursday 18 Long at 2 P merid 108"28
All these 24 hours fresh gales from
SE & Some Squally first part Steered
N & W middle to N & E later under double
reefs the Sea rough
Latitude 24"07
Friday 19
All these 24 hours Strong gales from
SE By E & flying Cloudes Steered to the
N & E By the wind in sight of Lucy Ann
Saw nothing but finbacks Latitude 23"20
Saturday 20 Long at 4 PM 109"25
All these 24 hours Strong gales from
SE to ESE & hazy weather Standing
to the N & E under Short Sail Sea
[illegible]

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Sunday June 21 - 1840
All these 24 hours Strong gales from SE & clear - sea rough at 4 P.M wore ship to SSW under short sail all these 24 hours Latitude 23"06

Monday 22 Long at 3 P.M 109"06
First part of these 24 hours Strong gales from ESE & clear Middle more moderate later lively from East standing to S E under T Sails & Courses
Latitude 23"49

Tuesday 23 Long at 2 P.M 109"22"30
First part light winds from East & fine sent down Mizen T. Sail yard & fisht it sent it aloft again at 4 lowered for 2 large whales could not fasen Middle & later small breezes & calm Standing to the South Latitude 24"03

Wednesday 24 Long at 4 109"39
First part lively breezes from SSW & fair steered SE at sunset double reeft later strong squals with rain wind bafling at 10 double reeft saw A ship to windward cuting
Latitude 24"28

Thursday 25
First part strong gales from ESE & hard squals attended with rain at 1 P.M wore ship to South under double reefs Middle & later flying Cloudes at 7 A.M wore to N & E Rough sea
Latitude 24"44
Long at 9 A.M Chro 110"16
By Lunar 109"22

Friday 26
All these 24 hours fresh gales from ESE & flying Cloudes at 7 A.M wore ship to South one ship insight but no whales
Latitude 24"19
Long at 9 A.M By Chro 110"26
By Lunar — — 109"40

Ship Leonidas Cruiseing of West

Saturday June 27th 1840
All these 24 hours fine breezes from SE to SSE & fair Caried all sail & stood hole watches steered to S&W by the wind bound to latitude 28½ Long 104 – to 109 if wind or whales does not stop us 2 Men sick Latitude 25"33
Long at 2 P M 109"20

Sunday 28
All these 24 hours light winds from SE & SSE weather fine Caried all sail to S&W saw nothing but finbacks
Latitude 26"51
Long at 2 P M 108"52

Monday 29
First & middle parts of these 24 hours light breezes from SE & fair later from ENE & fine steered south under all sail
Latitude 27"34
Long at 3 P M 108"27

Tuesday 30
First part strong breezes from North Middle strong gales from the westward & hard squalls attended with rain & lightning all sail in but staysails & spencers later strong gales from SW & same squally

Wednesday July 1 Latitude 28"29
First & Middle parts of these 24 hours strong gales from SW to South at 8 P M wore ship to West later Moderate & same squally wind SSE sea raught
Latitude 28"31

Thursday 2 Long at 2 P M 108"03
First part light breeze from SE & raught sea middle Calm later strong from North stood to west at 10 Double reeft saw a grate number of finbacks

Latitude 28"41
Long at 2 P M 107"37

Coast of N Holland W. A. Stuart

Friday July 3

A First & middle parts of these 24 hours Strong gales from NW & hard squalls later Slight from SW & fine Steered North

Latitude 28"31

Saturday July 4th 1840 Long at 11 A.M. 107"54

First & Middle parts of these 24 hours Small breezes from S & W & fine weather Steered North later Small breezes from SE & fine Steered ENE watch Employed in Seting up rigging Latitude 28"19

107"54

Sunday 5

First & Middle parts of these 24 hours light East winds & fine later Strong from NE & A high swell from SW Stood to ESE but Saw nothing in the shape of A sperm whale this is trying to the minde of Man

Latitude 28"30

Monday 6 Long at 2 P. 108"26.

All these 24 hours lively breezes from North & hazy weather Stood to NNE Saw nothing

Latitude 28"21

Tuesday 7

First part lively & unsteddy breezes from North hazy & dirty looking weather at 1 P.M. tacked Ship to West at sunset took in Sail & ware Ship to ENE Middle part Strong gales from NE & hard rain at 10 took in Foresail at 3 A.M. took in Main T. Sail at 6"30 ware to the West & turned up all the boates wind North hard gales & heavy rain the remainder of these 24 hours Sent down all 3 yard masts & T. G. yards which Eases our Ship A good deal laying to under C. Mizen Mz Staysail & F. Spencer

Barrameter at 12 merid 30 inch No Observation

at 12 Middle — — 29"5

at 12 Merid later 29"2

Ship Leonidas of Fairhaven

Wednesday July 8
First part hard gales from North & heavy rain at 6 wore ship to N&E Middle from N & W & Squally later from WSW More moderate with frequent squals attended with rain at 6 A M set C reef T. sails 1 reef F. sail & steered North Latitude 28"22

Thursday 9 Long at 2 P M 108"34
All these 24 hours strong gales from SW to S&E & squally weather & some showers first part steered North later N&E later repaird M. T. G. sail & sent the yard & sail aloft Latitude 25"58
Long at 2 P M. 108"57

Friday 10
All these 24 hours strong gales from SE to SE Middle & later Squally rainy & dirty weather under Double & Close reefs all hands well on board
Latitude 23"29
Saturday 11 Long at 2 P M 107"06
First & middle parts of these 24 hours strong gales from SE squally rainy & dirty weather steered N.E. at sunset took in sail later light & bafling breezes & showery steered N&E A high swell from South & appearence of A strong curent No Observation

Sunday 12
First part light & bafling breezes from S&E squally & showery Middle strong breezes later lively & fair steered E&E saw nothing Latitude 21"04
Long at 4 P M 110"40

Monday 13
All these 24 hours strong breezes from SSE & fair first part steered by the wind later steered N E unbent M. T. sail to repair & bent another Latitude 20"19
Long at 4 P M 111"41

Off W Coast of N Holland

Tuesday July 14 - 1840
All these 24 hours strong trades from SSE & good weather first & later steered NE middle East under short sail watch employed in repairing M. T. Sail first part saw a sail to windward steering about North

	Latitude	19"03
	Long at 3 P.M Chro	112"40"30
Wednesday 15	By Lunar at 7 P.M	113"03"00

All these 24 hours light trades & fine weather steered NE & ENE first part unbent Main T. sail & bent another later under all sail sent up F. T. G. yard & sail Clear as the skye smooth is the sea & not A sperm whale can we see hard to be sure

Latitude	18"28
we have simptoms of Long at 2 P.M	113"41

the scurvey

Thursday 16th
All these 24 hours light & variable breezes from SE to ENE at sunset Double reefd at 7-30 A.M tacked to SSE under all sail saw several humpbacks & one Calf watch employed in repairing sails

Latitude	17"57
Long at 2 P.M	113"43

Friday 17
All these 24 hours light bafling breezes from East to NE & Calms steered to SSE by the wind saw 2 ships spoke ship Portland with A humpback along side Mate sick so ends these 24 hours watch employed in repairing sails

Latitude	18"13
Long at 4 P.M	113"53

~~First part~~
Saturday 18
First part light airs & Calm middle & later fine breezes from East & pleasent weather steered NNE by the wind under all sail at 8 P.M Spoke Barque Pantheon Falriver 700 sperm 500 whale 13 mths out with lofs 2d officer & 2 men

Latitude	17"38
Long at 2 P.M	114"08

Ship Leonidas towards

Sunday July 19th 1840
First part light trades from East Clear & pleasent weather middle & later lively breezes & fine but no whales under all Sail Steered by the wind
Latitude By Obs 16"41 S
Monday 20th Long at 4 P.M. Merid 114"25 W
All these 24 hours lively trades & E.N. fine weather under all Sail Steered to the N & E by the wind Ship Portland insight astern
Latitude 15"14
Long at 9 A.M. Chro 114"47
Tuesday 21 By Lunar 115"07
First part fresh breezes at 3"30 P.M. the Portland 10 Miles of our lea quater saw her keep of we did the same we assertained after that she saw 2 large Spermwhales going fast to N.W. Middle Strong trades & braught field fore & Mz T.G. Sails at 10 A.M. more moderate Set them steered to N.E. & N.E by E by the wind
Latitude 14"08
Wendsday 22 Long at 8 A.M. Chro 115"35
All these 24 hours light trades fine clear & pleasent weather Steered to N.E by the wind to N.E under All Sail but no Sperm whales Capt Stuart is afflicted with vayerlent rheumatic or Scurvey panes in the legs Joseph Demmeck has the Scurvey is not able to perform duty & several others has A touch of the Scurvey
Latitude 12"57
Long at 9 30 A.M. Chro 116"18
Thursday 23 By Lunar 116"29
First part light trades Middle & later Strong weather fine Steered by the wind till 1"30 A.M. then N & E. These 24 hours water green
Latitude 10 46
Long at 4 P.M. Chro 116"57

Friday July 24th 1840
All these 24 hours lively trades from SE & fine at 11 P.M took in T.G. sails hulld up Coarses & Came to with Maill yard aback at daylight made all sail & Steered North at 6:30 saw the land through the smoke at 12 Merid the SW Point of Sumbawa bare N&E Dist 6 Miles by Estermation

Latitude 9"08 S
Long at 9 AM Chro 116"31
By Lunar — 116"23

Saturday 25
First part strong breezes & fine steered into Alas Strait about 12 miles thought it to be Lamboc not having any Chart on A large scale & the Chro not to be Depended on made one board to the East then tacked & was out Clear before night the tide seting vary strong Ebb or to the South fell in with & spake the Portland she was also steering for the Straight tacked of & on for the night under topsails Double reeft in Company with said ship at Daylight found the Curent had set us about 15 miles to leeward made sail & run down the land for Lamboc straits saw A large Merchant ship ahead middle strong breezes later more moderate at 12 Merid SW Point of Lamboc bare N & W Dist 4 miles Bally Peak insight Lamboc shet in

Sunday 26 First part lively trades at 1 P.M halld into the strait & met A vary strong tide run about 5 knot got up about 10 miles at sunset opend the Bay but had no Chart on A large scale & didnot run up tacked about all night at daylight was nearly out of the strait maid all sail the breeze small at 9 A.M A smart breeze sprung up saw ship Mary standing out to sea at 12 Meridian the bay ~~x~~ was opend the bay our progress was slow at 2 P.M got in by the W Western point where the tide is not so rapid took A lively breeze at 5 Came to anchor with bu... [illegible] in 15 fath water furld sails got super ... set ... [illegible]
day Excluding ... hours

Remarks on Board Ship Leonidas

Monday July 27th 1840
First & middle part light breezes of Shoar later lively along the Shoar we leigh about 3/4 of A mile from Shore all hands Employed in Sundry Spread awnings broake out & fitted water Casks for raften So Ends this day Civil account

Tuesday 28
First part light middle fresh breezes all hands Employed in ships duty got of 75 bbls water & Stowed it dawn & Coopered the mast of our Bred

Wednesday 29
All this day fine weather wind as usual at night light & Calm & Strang by day Larb watch went ashoar on liberty Starb Employed in Sundry gobs

Thursday 30
All this day fine weather & Strang trades At daylight took our anchor & warped near in Shoar Starb watch on liberty Larb got of A raft of water 55 bbls & Sundry other gobs

Friday 31st
All this day fine weather all hands Employed in Stawing down water Bredd &C Cleared & washt the lower deck A Considerable trade of today in the Cocnaes Such as fouls Eggs potataes Coconuts & Some other trapical fruite

Saturday Aug 1st
All this day light breezes & fine weather Larb watch on liberty Starb Employed in painting the Bens & iron work & Sundry other gobs

Sunday 2d
All this day weather fine middle part Strang breezes from SSE Starb watch on liberty L. B. Employed in Sundry gobs Saild Ship Brunswick

Monday 3
All this day fine weather Larb watch on liberty Starb Employed in Ships duty A English whaler Came in

Tuesday 4
All this day fine weather middle strong breezes first & later Small breezes Starb watch on liberty Larb Employed in Ships duty Ba... [illegible] Saild

Laying in Umpanam bay I...

Wednesday Aug 5th 1840
All this day Clear & plesent weather Larb watch on liberty Starb Employed in Sundry jobs of Ships duty

Thursday 6 All this day fine weather Middle fresh breezes first & later light & Calm A English Merchant Barque arived from Copang Larb watch on liberty

Friday 7
All this day fine weather winds as usual Larb watch on liberty the rest on Ships duty the English Merchant Barque Kager arived

Saturday 8
First part of this day light breezes from SSE Middle from the westward later light & Calm & from S&E Starb watch on liberty

Sunday 9th
First part light breezes from S&E Middle lively from WNW & Same Cloudy later light airs & Calm Larb watch on liberty

Monday 10
First part Calm Middle Small breezes from the westward later from S&E & Calm Starb watch on liberty Larb Employed in Sundry jobs of Ships duty Saild Ships Houqua, Delfas, Mayflower & Condore Long at 3..30 P.M By Chro 115..59..45

Tuesday 11
First & later part of this day light breezes from S&E & fine weather Middle part from the westward Larb watch on liberty Starb employed in Ships duty

Wednesday 12th
First part Small breezes Middle fresh from S&E later light & Clear & pleasent weather Starb watch on liberty

Thursday 13th
All this day fine weather & fine breezes all hands Employed in Ships duty went ashoar & got 5 bbls of Sand Saild Ship Brighton & Barque Hope on A Cruise

Friday 14
First & later part of this day light breezes Middle fresh breezes & flying Cloudes all hands Employed in Ships duty got of 40 bbls of water Stowd it down Set up head rigging & Sund...

Saturday August 15th 1840

All this day weather fine first & later winds light as usual middle fresh breezes breezes all hands employed in ship by got all ready for Sea

Sunday 16

All this day light breezes & fine weather at 6"30 A.M made anchor loose all sail & stood out the bay in Company with Ship Stephana Gapan A. tucket & Palmira of London secured the anchor on the cat unbent the Chain stowed it below washed decks & put the Craft in the boates — at Meridian the S & E Point of bandel Island bore NW & W Dist 10 miles by estermation with A small breeze from the South & the tide soaking us So Ends this day & Civil account including 12 hours all well except 2 or 3. The Natives of this Island or of Ampanam are frendley but revengful thay Carry there Creases with them where ever thay go & if thay git in A quarrell with themselves one or the other falls by A deadly blow with the Crease & the other is Carried before the Rager & if he is to blame or in the falt he is put to death & if not there is no more said about it every one is allowed by Laws of the Island to stand his one defence so by that reason thay go armed with there creases there is A english merchant who does all the Business & trade he has A considerable Control & is said to be worth $200000 there is A good deal of Rice Exported to diferent Cuntaries by English & dutch it Can be purchased at 1ct per lb the population is numerous for the size of the Island & is said to have 20000 fiten men the Island abounds in fruite & paltry & Eggs in abundance which Can be bought at reasonable prise potatoes & pumkins are also plenty the natives are of A Coper Color & most all them ware long hair & is straight the men of rank & the ragers gard ware short hair

Monday 17th
First part lively breezes from SSE at 1:30 tacked Ship under Bandet Shoar at 3 tacked again at Sunset the South part of Bandet bare about N.W. Dist 8 Miles by Esterimation took in T.G. Sails & firld. Mn Sail & steered by the wind to SW wind light later all Sail Set Clear & pleasent weather the 3th officer Cooper Carpenter & 2 Men Sick of duty Latitude 9"30

Tuesday 18 Long at 5 P.M. chro 114"44
All these 24 hours light SE winds & fine weather Steering to S&W By the wind at Sunset took in Sail at 11 A.M. the Japan lowered & took A large whale we lowered 2 boates & puld up about 6 Miles but to no purpose for there was no more whales at 1 P.M. discouvered A new Comer amongst our men he left the Leucus the Previous to our Sailing Came aboard & secreted himself away in the lower hole

Wednesday 19th
All these 24 hours fine breezes & fine weather Stood to S&W at 4 tacked to N&E at 2 A.M. wore back at 9 A.M. tacked again but saw no whales all the Sick are Moast well except Jaken A Partuegue he quite Sick with the Desentary So Ends watch Emplayed in Ships duty
Latitude 10"01

Thursday 20 Long at 3 P.M. chro 113"47
First part light breezes from East Stood to N&E at 4:30 P.M. wore Ship to South at Sunset took in Sail later strong breezes & some Cloudey Steered to the South under T. Sails & Courses A bad head Sea watch Emplayed in Ships duty Latitude 10"30

Friday 21
All these 24 hours fresh trades & parting Cloudes Stood to the South the grownd has ben lively for 3 Days Blackfish Porposes Jumpers hump Backes & Small fish in Abundance & Some Squid &c
Latitude 10"50

Saturday 22 Long 113"47
All these 24 hours fresh trades & fine weather Standing to the South by the wind No whales to be seen watch Emplayed in Ships duty Lat [illegible]

Remarks on Board Ship Leonidas

Sunday Aug 23rd 1840
All these 24 hours fine breezes from ESE to East & fine weather Steered to South by the wind but saw no whales
Latitude 12"52

Monday 24 Long at 2 P.M 113"29
All these 24 hours fine breezes from East & fine weather at 4 P.M tacked to NNE at sunset Double reeft later Steered NW saw nothing Latitude 12"32

Tuesday 25th Long at 3 P.M 112"44
All these 24 hours fresh trades from ESE to SE fine weather with passing Cloudes first part steered NW later by the wind to NNE Latitude 11"40
Long at 3 P.M 112"39

Wednesday 26
All these 24 hours Strong trades Steered to NNE By the wind later some squally under double reefs saw jumpers
Latitude 10"20

Thursday 27
All these 24 hours Strong trades & some squally at 6 P.M wore ship to South later under double reefs Latitude 10"32

Friday 28th
First & middle parts strong breezes from ESE & passing Cloudes the sea rough stood to the South later more moderate under single reefs but saw nothing Latitu 11"16

Saturday 29
All these 24 hours Strong breezes & some squalls steered to South by the wind under double reefs & saw nothing Latitude 11"50
111"21

Sunday 31th
First & middle parts of these 24 hours fresh trades & passing Cloudes stood to South

Long at 2:38 P.M 110"56

& E Spoke Ship Lucy Ann later lively breeze & fine weather at 8 tacked to NNE under all sail Died Departed from this life At 7 A.M Joakuin Sylvester aged about 22 years he is A native of Brazil or the Isle, A gran. his sickness short but severe the Desentary [illegible] A person in [illegible] A short time [illegible]

Cruiseing of South Carver for Sp Whales

Monday August 31th
First part fine brees & pleasent Strood to NoE By the wind under all Sail Middle & later to SSE later fresh breezes from East & same Squally but no whales
~~At 4~~ Latitude 11"35
At 4 P.M. took in T.G. Sails up Courses & halld Aback head yards & Camited the Carps to the mighty Deep after reeding A prayer & A him which is Practible in A Sea buriel

Tuesday Sept 1th
All these 24 hours fresh breezes from ESE to SE & Same Squally Strood to South first part Ship Japan & Mary Mitchel to leward later Saw 2 More to windward whaling & one Bailing & we are not fortunedle anaugh to See A whale I may kinde providence Smile on us Soon Latitude 12" 22

Wednesday 2 Long at 3 past Merid 110" 22
All these 24 hours Strong trades later Squally with rain Saw A Ship to windward bailing. Onbent Mizen & bent Spanker

Thursday 3 No observation
First part bafling breezes from SSE & rainy Spake Jon Adams N. Bedford 15 months out 1180 bbls Sperm Oil Middle Strong breeze SE & Shawery at 6 A.M. wore Ship to ENE Strong breezes & mostley Clauday under Sing, reefs

Friday 4 Latitude 13"08
All these 24 hours Strong breezes from SE By S & unpleasent weather Stured to NNE By the wind but no whales 4 & 5 ships in Sight
Dream) Childe)

Saturday 5th Latitude 12"16
At First & Middle parts of these 24 hours freshs gales from SE By S. Clauday & Sauall[illegible] [illegible] to ENE
11"26
10"57

Remarks on Board Ship Leonidas

Sunday Sept 6th 1846
All these 24 hours strong trades & flying
Clouds first & middle headed to SSW later
to N & E 3 Sails in sight but no whales
Latitude 11"40
Monday 7 Long at 3 P.M. 110"39
First part fresh trades & fair at 1 P.M.
tacked ship to SSW Middle & later moderate
breezes & fine set all sail So Ends with
No whales Ship Lucy Ann in sight
Tuesday 8
All these 24 hours fine breeze & fine
weather Steered to N & E Middle under double
reefs later all sail at 11:30 saw St junk
of Squid the most sine for whales that
we have seen for some time Latitude ~~10"38~~
Wednesday 9 ~~At~~ Longetude at 3 111"07
All these 24 hours lively breezes & fine
weather steered to N & E by the wind
So Ends saw nothing All hands well
Ship Lucy Ann of weather quater Latitude 10"35
Thursday 10
First part fresh trades at 1 P.M. lowered
for whales struck & drawd & chaist again
& Could not git fast this is hard & trying
to be so long without seeing St whale &
then not git none Ship Lucy Ann got one
Middle & late moderate breezes & fine

Latitude 10"30
Friday 11 Long at 7:30 A.M. 111"41
All these 24 hours lively trades & fine
weather first part stood to N & E later
to South & W but no whales
Latitude 10"46
Saturday 12th Long at 2 P.M. 111"10
First part of these 24 hours fresh
trades & fine at 5 tacked to N & E Middle
& later strong breezes & raughf So Ends
all well & should feel better if we had
whales Latitude 10"07
111"55

Cruiseing of South Coast of Java

Sunday Sept 13th

All these 24 hours Strong trades & passing cloudes Steered to N & E by the wind under double reefs all well but no whales
Latitude 9"31
Long at 8 P M 112"08

Monday 14

All these 24 hours fresh breezes from SE to SSE & flying cloudes at 1 P M wore Ship to S & W Kaler saw Ship Lucy Anne Saw A humpback Latitude 10"15
Long at 8 P M 111"13"15

Tuesday 15

All these 24 hours fine breezes & fine weather Steered to SW by the wind Spoke Ship Lucy, Ann but no whales to be seen
Latitude 10"57
110"09

Wednesday 16

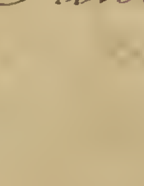
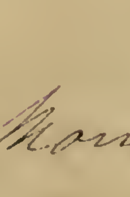
All these 24 hours fine trades from SSE to SE at 6 P M tacked to East & double reeft at 8 A M tacked to SSW unbent Mizen T. Sail to repair So Ends another day & no whales Latitude 11"00
Long at 8 P M 110"14

The previous day or the 15th is the day of my Birth which tells that 28 years has rold around & gon sense I was born to see the light of this world & over 15 years sense I first trod A plank & set sail to plough the foaming waves time like the dove on her wing flies where shall I be in 28 years from this if Alive it is A question that only God can Answer not on the blue Ocean I am Inhapes no before one quarter of the time shall Expire may it be Gods will for me to be Engaying the Society & presence of my Dear Eunice & friends this life is A life of Care trouble & Anxiety at least these Voyages are to be seperated from A companian that I am bound by the strongest ties of the tenderest affection for such A length of time to plough the wide & Extensive Seas tis hart rending & all most hart breaking A Sailor may sail the world round & the seas all over he never will forgit his home though I should sail them all over & over again the tharts would constantly haver … the flame of love which is kindled never will seas to burn

Remarks on Board Ship Leoni[da]

Thursday Sept 17th 1840
First & middle of these 24 hours lively breezes
from SE & fine Steered to SSW by the
wind later light & fine at 10 tacked Ship
Latitude 11"41
Friday 18 Long at 8 107"4
First part light breezes from SE by S
under all sail to E by N middle lively caried
a Double reefs later Small breezes from SE
clear & pleasent under all sail head to
E N E a plenty porpooses but no whales
nor Ships Latitude 11"07
Long at 2 P. M. 110"25

Saturday 19
All these 24 hours small breezes from
SE to ESE clear & pleasent weather
at 11 A M tacked to South caught
a porpoos nothing in Sight 110"45
Long at 2 110"56

Sunday 20
All these 24 hours light breezes clear
& pleasent weather Steered to South & W
by the wind a plenty porpooses but no
whales Latitude 11"43
Monday 21 Long at 9 A M 110"24
First part lively breezes from 109"37
SE by S to SSE & fine at 1 tacked
to East middle fresh breezes caried
Single reefs during the night later
light from ESE at 7 tacked to South
past Ship Napoleon Stand to N & E
saw jumpers & a great number of
porpooses Latitude 11"55
Tuesday 22 Long at 8 By chro 111"18
First part lively trades & fine

saw jumpers & blackfish at 1 tack to
E N E middle & later fresh breezes & fair
at 7 A M wore ship to South & W saw

a ship steering to N & W at 8 lowered
for a large School of Small whales
going fast to windward Struck Sounded
& drawed Could not git fast again at 10"30
came on board Latitude 11"36
Long at 3 P M 11[illegible]

Cruising off South Coast of Java

Wednesday 23
All these 24 hours lively trades & fine weather first & middle parts Steered to N & E by the wind at 6:30 A M tacked to S & W all hands well Latitude 11:36

Thursday 24 Long at 3 111:36
First part lively breeze & fine middle & later Strong & rought Saw Jumpers So Ends T G Sails furld all well L. b. tacks aboard Latitude 12:57

Friday 25 Long at 3 111:00
All these 24 hours strong trades & fair the sea rought at 6 P M tacked Ship to E N E Latitude 13:00
Long at 3 111:36

Saturday 26
First & middle parts of these 24 hours fresh breezes & fair Steered to N & E Saw A Ship to S & W later light winds & clear Steered North under all sail Latitude 12:18

Sunday 27 Long at 3 111:58
All these 24 hours light trades & vary fine weather steered North So Ends all hands well but no whales
Latitude 11:53

Monday 28 Long at 2 by Chro 111:29:45
First & middle parts light ~~parts~~ breezes & vary fine weather steered North later lively Steered N W onbent F. Gibble repaird & bent same saw A finback jumpers & plenty porpoises but No whales hard & tryin to human mind Latitude ~~10~~ 9:57

Tuesday 29 Long at 3 P M by Chro 110:35
All these 24 hours fresh trades & fine weather first part steered West at sunset Double reeft & halld to wind to S S W later steered S W & West saw A greate number of porpoises Caught 2 & saw Jumpers but No whales Latitude 10:44
Long at 3 P M Chro 108:56

Eunice G. Tabey Fairhaven
Asa T Tobey ...
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Ship Leonidas

Wednesday Sept 30th 1840

First & middle parts Strong trades & fine
Steered West middle to S&W by the wind
under Double reefs later strong breezes & rough
At 7.30 A.M. lowered for A pod of large sperm
whales going very fast to windward. Chaste 6 or 8
miles to windward & Could not Come up with them
so gave it up for A hard chase & bad luck
as usual for it seemes as tho it was all most
imposeble to git A whale evary thing seems to
work against us but I am inhopes that kinde
providence will smile on us soon at 11 Came
on board — Latitude 11..18

Thursday Oct 1st — Long at 3 P.M. by Chro 108..04

First part moderate breezes & fine
Middle & later strong trades & passing
Cloudes Steered to S&W by the wind
Latitude 12..26

Friday 2 — Long at 3 P.M. 107..10

All these 24 hours Strong trades
& rough Sea Steered to SSW by the
wind making the best of the way
towards N. Holland — Latitude 13..47

Saturday 3

All these 24 hours Strong trades weather
fair with passing Cloudes & rough Sea
middle part turnd out all reefs Steered
to S&W by the wind — Latitude 15..01

Sunday 4th — Long at 2.30 P.M. 105..28

First part Strong trades at 4 Double
reeft Middle more moderate turnd out
all reefs later Moderate breezes & A high
swell from South Set T.G. Sails
Latitude 16..34

Monday 5 — Long at 4 P.M. by Chro 105..10

All these 24 hours fresh trades & fine
weather Steered to S&W by the wind
under all sail the Sea is quitee smooth
Saw A humpback Set up Topmast
& T.G. backstays fore & aft all well
[illegible] I think } Latitude 18..35
Long at 3 P.M. 104..2[illegible]

Towards N Coast A Holland 1840

Tuesday Oct 6
All these 24 hours fresh A trades & mostly claudy Steered to S&W by the wind Sent down Royalmasts Saw humpback
No Observation

Wednesday 7
First & middle parts of these 24 hours fresh trades & clauday later strong with flying claudes at 6 Double reeft So ends all well
Latitude 22"16 S
Long at 3 by Chro 102"57 E

Thursday 8
First part fresh trades & passing claudes later strong & raughf sea under double reefs steered to S&W by the wind
Sent dawn Mz T G yard Latitude 23"47
Long at 3 P M 101"44

Friday 9th
First part lively trades & fine weather Middle & later small breezes & vary fine Steered to S&W under all sail
Latitude 24"57

Saturday 10
All these 24 hours light breezes from SSE & South at 4 P M tacked to E by S later saw A ship to the North Caught A large Shark Latitude 24"54
Long at 4 P M 101"27

Sunday 11
First part calm & clear later small breezes from N W & vary fine saw A humpback So ends all well Course E S E
Latitude 25"13

Monday 12th
First & Middle part of these 24 hours lively breezes from N & W to West & squally with light showers Ends with modlerate breezes from SSW & fine Course SE
Latitude — 26"13
Long at 2 P M by Chrono 104"01

Tuesday 13
First part light breezes from SSW to SW & fine later strong & ~~fine~~ passing claudes Course SE Saw A humpback
Latitude 27"14
106"04

Remarks On board Ship Leonidas

Wednesday Oct 14th 1840

First part Strong breezes from West & Same squally at 4 Double reeft field Jibb & Mn Sail At 6 Close reeft Middle & fresh gales & squally with light Showers later More moderate wind from SW to SSW & passing Cloudes & high swell from SW Course SE Latitude 27"38

Thursday 15 Long at 2 P M 107"41

All these 24 hours Strong breezes from South to SE & Overcasts at sunset took in Sail & Stood boats Crue watches first & later under double reeps steered to the eastward by the wind Latitude 27"41

Friday 16 Long at 2 P M 107"00

All these 24 hours Strong breezes from SE to SSE & Squally & light Showers at 4 P M ware Ship to S&W

Saturday 17 No Observation

All these 24 hours Strong breezes from SE & squally weather Saw finbacks Steered to S&W by the wind.

Latitude 28"56

Long at 2:30 P M 107"14

Sunday 18

All these 24 hours lively breezes from SSE to South & fine weather at 3"30 P M tacked Ship to E By S Saw nothing A small Curent seting to NE Latitude Obs 28"52

Long at 8 A M by Chro 107"56

Monday 19 By Lunar ☉☾ 107"12

First ~~& pt~~ & Middle parts light breezes from South & vary fine weather steered to ESE by the wind later ~~Saw~~ light airs & Calm Saw A finback Latitude 29 09

Tuesday 20th Long at 4 P M 108"42

First part Calm Middle small breezes from North later lively breeze clear & fine weather Steered SE watch Employed seting up Mnz rigging Latitude 29"38

Long at 4 P M 109"39

Cruiseing of N. Coast N. Holland for Spermactes

Wednesday 21st
First part of these Long 24 hours fresh breezes from North & clear weather steered SE at sunset took in sail & headed to ENE middle & later strong from North & some rain at 10 AM wind halld to WNW & cleared steered south Saw finback
Latitude Oby 36..47

Thursday 22
Long at 2"30 PM 110"38
Commences with strong breezes from West & fair steered South under Double reefs at 5 strong gales from SW & light rain took in sail at 6 wore ship to NW Middle part strong gales & squally later more moderate at 7 wore to SSE & set double reefs
Latitude 31..03

Friday 23
Long at 4 PM 111"
First part strong breezes from SW squally with light rain steered to SSE by the wind at sunset took in sail wore ship to NW later moderate breezes from SSW & light showers & high swell steered North Latitude 30..54

Saturday 24
Long at 4 PM Chro 111"11"45
All these 24 hours lively breezes from South & SSE & overcasts first part steered North at sunset took in sail headed to WSW at daylight made all sail steered NW at 9 raisd A Shoale of large whales at 10 lowered struck & killd 6 large whales & saved 3
Latitude about 30..25

Sunday 25
Long at about 110..50
All these 24 hours fresh breezes from SSE & fair at 5"30 took the last whale along side & got ready for Cuting later all hands Employed in Cuting at 12"30 Meridian had 2 whales & one head in
Latitude none

Remarks on board Ship Leonidas

Monday Oct 26th 1840
All these 24 hours fresh breezes from SSE to South first part [illegible] [illegible] the Case & hane in the junk Middle Middle Bailed later Cut in the 5 whale at 7 AM wore Ship & Cut to leward

Tuesday 27
All these 24 hours moderate breezes from SSE & fine Stood to S&W Emplayed in bailing Lat 29"15

Wednsday 28
All these 24 hours moder breezes from S&W & fair at 4 PM wore Ship to S&E Employed in boiling Latitude 29"25

Thursday 29
All these 24 hours Strong breezes from SSW & flying Claudes & Same squally Emplayed in bailing Latitude 29"47

Friday 30
All these 24 hours fresh gales from South & fair first part Stowed down about 40 bbls middle finesht bailing Latitude 29"55

Saturday 31th Long at 3 PM 110"04
All these 24 hours Strong breezes from SSE to SE & fair with raughf Sea Stood to S&W later all hands Emplayed in Stowing down in Main hole

Sunday November 1th Latitude 30"38

First part Strong breezes from SE & fair All hands Emplayed in Stowing down at 7 finesht Stood to S&W by the wind later Moderate at 7 AM wore Ship to the East Ends fine & pleasent under all Sail but no whales Latitude 30"55

Monday 2th Long at 4 PM 109"09
First part fine breezes & fine weather middle & later fresh & fair Steered to the Eastward by the wind Saw nothing Latitude 30"2
110"41

Cruiseing of W. Coast N. Holland for Sperm whales

14 Tuesday Nov 3

All these 24 hours strong SSE winds & flying cloudes under Double reefs & Starboard tacks Aboard Saw 2 humpbacks onbent & bent A new Gibb Cooper repairing Caskes we finde A strong Curent to NE by Observations

Latitude 29" 45

Wednesday 4 Long at 2 111" 43

All these 24 hours strong winds from South & SE flying Claudes & raughf sea at 6"30 PM wore ship to S&W took in sail first & later under double reefs

Latitud 29" 42

Thursday 5th Long at 5 PM 110" 34

All these 24 hours strong breezes from SByE flying Claudes & raughf sea stood to S&W under double reefs saw nothing

Latitude Oby 30" 09

15 Friday 6th Long at 3 PM Chronos 109" 56

All these 24 hours fresh gales from South flying Claudes & raughf sea at 6"30 wore ship later onbent M. T. sail to repair & set Double reef F & Mn T sails saw humpbacks Latitude 29" 56

Saturday 7 Long at 4 PM 110" 57

All these 24 hours fresh gales from South to SSE flying Claudes & raughf sea first part Emplayed repairing M T Sail & bent same at 7 took in sail wore ship to S&W later set Double reefs at 10 took in sail Latitude 29" 41

Sunday 8

First & middle of these 24 hours fresh gales from South & fair later more moderate set Double reefs Steered to S&W by the wind but no whales to be seen

Latitude 30" 25 S

Monday 9 Long at 2 30 PM 109" 12 E

First part Strong breezes from South at 7 wore ship to ESE later more moderate under all sail watch Emplayed in Sundry Joby about the rigging but no whales

Latitude 30" 19

Remarks on Baard Ship Leonidas

Tuesday November 10th 1840
All these 24 hours lively breezes from SSW
to SSE & fine weather at 8 A M tacked
Ship to SW but no whales
Latitude 30"30

Wednesday 11 Long at 2"30 P M Chro 111"10
All these 24 hours Smart breezes from
SE By S & fine weather Steered to SSW
by the wind no whales Latitude 31"21
Long at 3 P. merid 110"14

Thursday 12th
First part lively breezes from SSE
& fine weather steered to SSW by the wind
later Small breezes from SW Clear & pleasent
at 6 AM tacked Ship to SSE all well
saw finbacks Latitude 31"56

Friday 13th
First & middle part light breezes from
SW & fine Stood to SSE later Moderate breezes
from West Clear & pleasent weather Steered
SE Saw grampases but no whales
Latitude 32"24

Saturday 14 Long at 3 P Meridian 111"17
All these 24 hours light breezes from
SW to NW & fine weather first part
Steered SE later South Clear is the skye
Smooth is the sea milde is the breeze our
Ship slips along at her ease we strain
our Eyes to look all over the Seas to see
A Sperm whale Sneeze Latitude 33"21

Sunday 15 111"57
First part lively breezes from NW
at Sunset took in Sail headed to
WSW at 11 Strong breezes & raing at
1 A M wind Shifted to SW & caught
Abac fresh gales with rain Ends with
Strong winds from SW headed to SSE
under Close M & Miz T Sails & reef Fo
Course first part killd 2 small
grunters & 2 Mankeys last the number
of there mess in the Case of the night
what hour I am not able Latitude 33"4
to State at 10 A M saw them in the Miz T M crosstr 112"18
with there lives & could not git clear & so perisht

Cruiseing of N Coast N Holland

Monday November 16th 1840
All these 24 hours strong gales from N.W. to S.W. squaly & showers [illegible] [illegible]ied small sail to S.S.E. Latitude 34"20
Long at 3 P.M. 112"40

Tuesday 17
First part strong gales from S.W. passing Clouds at 7 wore ship to west later moderate breezes from south fine weather steered to W.S.W. by the wind under all sail A high swell from S.W. saw A ship to leward so Ends no whales
Latitude 34"24
Wednesday 18 Long at 4 P.M. 111"50"30
All these 24 hours light breezes from south to S.E. Clear & pleasent weather steered to S.S.W. later saw A greate number of finbacks At 2 P.M. spoke ship Palladium Prentice N. London has taken one write whale sence left Ampanam in august wants 300 to fill he reports haven spake ship Mentor N. London 2700 whale & 300 sperm oil from Geographs Bay Capt Baker of Mentor reports ship North America Wilmington Delaware Governor Endicot of Mestic & Samuel Wright Salem was All drove from there Anchorage on shoar & lost Crues saved this accident hapened about the 7th of July last in A heavy North gale the 2 former ships no oil later I have not Ascertained Capt Coffin of Samuel Wright has bought the 2 ships & has his & is Caring on the whaleing in the bay & will make A fine speck there ship's went there to whale heard of letters past in ship Amethist for N. Zeland which makes me sick Latitude Oby 34"47
Thursday 19th Long at 4 P.M. 111"10
First & middle part light breezes from S.E. to south & fine weather at 2 P.M. tacked to East later lively from S.W. to W.S.W. same Cloudy steered S.E. saw A plenty finbacks & [illegible]
So Ends all well

Remarks on board Ship Lion[e] ...

Friday November 20th 1840

First part Strong breezes from W.S.W. & flying Claudes Steered SE at Sunset took in Sail headed to South Middle fresh breezes & Squally later lively from SW Steered East No whales Latitude 35"12

Saturday 21th Long at 3 P.M. 113"30

All these 24 hours light breezes from SSW to South & light Showers at Entervils first part Steered East later ESE but No whales this is discourigeing twelve months to day Since I bid farwell to all that is dear to me & set Sail to leave the sweet shores of my native cuntary for this long teagues & trying Voyage

Latitude 35"06
Long at 3 P.M. 114"45

Sunday 22th

First part fresh breezes from South Steered ESE by the wind at Sunset took in Sail ware Ship to S&W Middle Some Squally wind SSE later Strong breezes from SE flying Claudes set Double reefs Steered North saw grampases at 9 halld up NE at 12 Meridian Saw the land Cape Leeuwin bearing NEBy E1/2E So Ends all well Latitude 34.35

Monday 23 Long at 2:30 P.M. Chro 114.56

First part fresh gales from SE & fair Steered NE at 1 P.M. Clost reept T. Sails At 2 took in F & Mz T Sails & reeft F. Sail at 3 ware Ship to SSW Cape Leeuwin bearing EbyN Dist 20 Miles by Esternation At 6 furld F. Sail Strong gales & Clear later more moderate at 7 ware Ship to NNE & set C reefs wind ... So Ends under double reefs

Latitude 34"57
Long at 5 P.M. 11[illegible]

Cruising off W Coast N Holland

Tuesday Nov 24th
First part lively breezes from East to ESE & fine Steered to NNE by the wind at sunset took in sail wore ship to South later strong breezes from East to NE & flying cloudes Steered to North by the wind at 8 AM Double reeft T. Sails So Ends anather Day & no whales to be seen this is hard & trying
Latitude 34"18 S

Wednesday 25th
Long at 3 PM Chro 114"12 E
First part of these long 24 hours Strong breezes from NNE to NW & cloudy Steered to NNW by the wind at sunset took in sail wore ship to NNE small breezes from NW & fair Middle & later small breezes all most around the hole Campass & Calm weather fine saw A greate number of Gramperpassepes & poaspourpoarpsepes but nane of the Royal Sparmassetty.
Latitude 34"24

Thursday 26
First part of these 24 hours Small breezes from NNE & fair later hard gales from NW to SW & showers at 8 AM wore ship took in Main T sail So Ends
Latitude 34"23

Friday 27
Long at 5 PM Chro 113"56
First part Strong gales from SW & flying Cloudes highing Middle moderate headed to WNW later moderate breezes & fair Made all sail steered NNW & high swell fram SW
Latitude 33"49

Saturday 28
Long at 2"30 PM 113"35
All these 24 hours lively breezes from SSW to SSE & fine weather first part steered NNW saw A shoale of large Sperm whales lowered one boate just before sunset but did nat get in sight of the whales took in sail later steered NNE supposed the whales to be going that Course but our luck is nat so good as to fall in with them Latitud 32"2
Lang at 3"30 113"1

Ship Leonidas of Fairhaven

Sunday November 29th 1840
All these 24 hours strong breezes from south & fine weather first part steered NNW at sunset took in sail & headed to ESE later steered to WSW by the wind under double reefs saw a large junk of squid so ends killd 2 pigs

Latittude 31"36

Monday 30 Long at 3 P M 112"41

First part strong breezes from south & fair steered to WSW by the wind under double reefs middle fresh breezes later finely steered NNW & NW onbent F T sail to repair & replaist it onbent & condemned the Forsail & bent another so ends watch employed repairing F T sail the weather fine sea smooth the horizon clear & not a whale to be seen

Latitude 31"28

Tuesday December 1th 1840 Long at 3"30 P M 110"58

All these 24 hours light breezes from south to SSW clear & pleasent weather first part steered NW middle to SSW under small sail later North & no whales watch employed repairing F T sail

Latitude 30"47

Wednesday 2 Long at 2 P merid Chr 109"59

All these 24 hours small breezes from south clear & vary pleasent sea smooth O now is the time to take whales but not one to can we see steered North wat ch employed on sails & rigging fitted M T G rigging so ends another 24 hours as usual & no whales

Latitude Merid 29"16

Long at 2"30 P M Chro 110"08

Thursday 3th By Lunar 109"43

First part light breezes from West to WNW & fine steered to North middle finely at 8 A M wind shifted to SSW with light rain & strong breeze onbent main T G sail to repair

Cruiseing off Wes

Friday December 4th

All these 24 hours
SW to South & Mod
Swell from SW
by the wind & under

Saturday 5

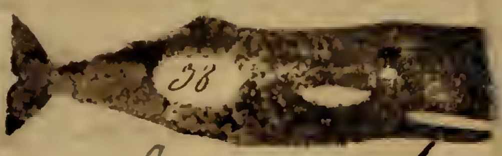
First & middle pa
South to SSE & (ver
from SW at 1 P.M. be
to SSW by the wind
Calm at 11.30 saw 2
3 miles from the
2 boats puld 7 mile
them at 3.30 P.M. retur

Sunday 6

First part ligh
SW & pleasent w
Middle fresh & Sq
WSW winds & pass
Sea under Double re

Monday 7

First part Str
SW to SSW & pass
Ship to West (mi
breezes from SSW
9 A.M. wore Ship
Sail & A high Su



Tuesday 8th

All these 24 hou
SW to South & M
A high Swell f
meridian raised
buts lowered Stru
along Side one & go
took her in & f
the crains got rea
Cut him in mo

ard Good Ship

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rs lively breezes from
asts Steered to S&W
P M Started the
whales in sight
Latitude 29"29

these 24 hours Moderate
ercasts at 7 wore ship
t bailing later strong
t Steered to ESE So
Latitude 29:19
Long at 3 P M 107:44

rs Strong winds
& overcasts ... lured
Stowed down head
Latitude 29:06

breezes from SSE
SW later fresh gales
ployed in repairing
4-30 saw A ship steering
— Latitude 28:57
Long at 4 P M 107:50

s Strong gales
t sea Stood to
sail Latitude 29:45
Long at 4 P M 106:44

Strong gales from
les at 7 P M wore
More Moderate
t no whales Latitude 29:3
Long at 3 P M 1 :42

rs Fresh gales
ts Stood to East
ks Latitude 29:19
Long at 4 P M 108:55

urs fresh gales from
t 6 P M wore ship
to SW by the wind
saw 3 Sail steering

Leonidas of fairhaven W. coast N. Holland

Thursday December 17th 1846
All these 24 hours fresh gales from SSE & SSbyE Mostley cloudy Steered to SSW first & later under Double reefs Middle Clost reefs M Sail furld this is A stretcher 7 Days past & not any time hardley fit for to lower A boate tis hard & trying such luck As we have So ends Latitude 30 : 26

Friday 18 Long at 4 P M Chro 106 : 28
All these 24 hours fresh gales from SSE to SE & overcasts Steered to SSW by the wind under Double & Clost reefs A vary high swell from SW
Latitude 31 : 16

Saturday 19th Long at 3 : 30 P M 104 : 44
First & Middle of these 24 hours strong breezes from SEbyS & flying cloudes Steered to SSW under Double & Clost reefs later More Moderate turnd out all reefs So ends & no whales but thank God tis once more whale weather & O would he bless us with the whales for I long to be filling the ship & be on the way towards home O when will that time Come when we shal set all sail for home & plough the trackles seas from whence we came to wards the land of my nativity where fredom ~~[illegible]~~ reigns & my Dear Eunice Dwels the Joy will be unexpressible if I live to see the time O may God grant the blessing & I think I shall be thankful to him &c, Latitude 32 : 18

Sunday 20 Long at 3 : 30 P M 103 : 57
All these 24 hours Lively breezes from SEbyS to SSE & mostley Cloudy at 9 P M tacked to East Caried all sail & stood whale watches Saw A finback So ends all well
Latitude 32 : 27

Monday 21th Long at 5 : 30 P M 104 : 55
All these 24 hours fresh breezes from SE Steered to EbyE under all sail

On Board Ship Leonidas

Tuesday December 22nd 1840

First part lively breezes from SSE to South middle & later unsteady breezes squally & light showers Steered to ESE by the wind but no whales Latitude 31:46

Wednesday 23 Long at 2-30 P.M. Chro 107:07

First part lively breezes from SSW middle squally later strong breezes from WSW squally & light showers Steered SE under D. reefs T sails Latitude 32:3[illegible]

Thursday 24 Long at 2-30 P.M. 107:45

First & middle of these 24 hours fresh gales from WSW to SW Steered to S&E under Double & C reefs later moderate from South to SSE overcast & high swell from SW turned out all reefs saw a shoal of porpoises

Friday 25th No Observations

All these 24 hours light breezes from South to SSE & overcast Steered to the Eastward at sunset took in sail & stood Boats crew watches later light airs & calm took in Waste Boat to renail & new gunwale saw grampuses put another boat on the cranes Latitude 33:21

Saturd 26 Long at 3 P.M. 112:19

First part of these 24 hours light breezes from WSW & fine middle fresh later strong from SW & flying clouds steered to South & E by the wind under Double reefs at 7 P.M. spoke ship Hercules Swain 5½ months out from N Bedford 4 bbls S. Oil A few papers & no letters I am greatly Disappointed

Latitude 33:35

Sunday 27 Long at 3 P.M. 115:24

Commences with fresh gales from SW Steered to SE under Double reefs at 5 took in sail strong gales & squally later more moderate set Double reefs at 10 wore ship to SW & high swell

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Cruiseing off N W Coast N Holland

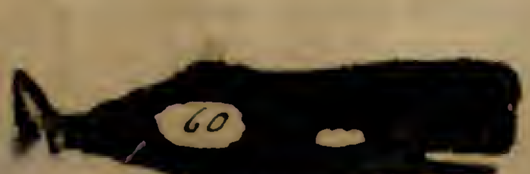
Monday Dec 28 - 1840
First & middle of these 24 hours fresh breezes from SE & overcasts later moderate breezes set all sail steered to SSW So Ends another Day & nowhales all well
Latitude 34 : 32

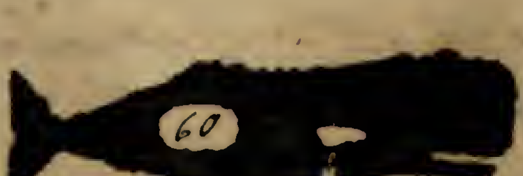
Tuesday 29 Long at 3 P M Chro 112 : 52
First part lively breezes from South at 2 P M tacked to ESE middle fresh from SE later strong set Double reefs at 6 wore ship to SW So Ends sea raughff
Latitude 34 : 44

Wednesday 30 Long at 3 P M 112 : 52
First & middle fresh gales from SE flying cloudes later moderate breezes from SE to ESE steered to S & W under all sail Saw A ship to windward Cuting supposed her to be the John Adams Latitude 35 : 44

Thursday 31 Long at 3 P M 112 : 13
All these 24 hours light winds from SE to SSW & fine weather at 4 P M tacked to East later steered to S & E & N & E watch Employed in setting up Main rigging So Ends saw the John Adams boiling
Latitude 35 : 29

Friday January 1st 1841 Long at 3 P M 111 : 45
First part lively breezes from SSW & fine steered to the westward at sunset saw the John Adams take A whale along side but saw no others later strong breezes & raughff sea saw A shoale of whales Lowered struck 3 saved 2 & parted from the 3rd at 10 A M took them along side So Ends all hands Employed in cutting
Latitude about 35 : 10
Long about 111 : 00





Ship Leonidas off West Coast

Saturday January 2th 1841

All these 24 hours fresh gales from South to SE & mostley cloudy all hands Employed in Cutting at 6:30 PM spoke Ship John Adams boiling her last whale bound home sent letters

Sunday 3th Evo Observations

All these 24 hours fresh gales from South & rough sea first part finisht Cutting and Started the works so Ends all hands Employed in boiling cutting up Junks and jaws &c fresh gales & some squally

Monday 4th Latitude 34"49

First & Middle of these 24 hours fresh 110"02 gales from South later moderate from SW and some squally Steered to SSE by the wind under hale Topsails saw a ship to leward but no whales Latitude 34"45

Tuesday 5 Long at 4 PM 109"43

First part fine breezes from SW & fine weather Middle unsteady breezes and Cloudy later Strong gales squally with rain furld F & Mz T Sails at Meredian fair with fresh gales & rough sea watch Employed in boiling Lat — 35"13

Wednesday 6 Long — 110"15

All these 24 hours Strong gales from SW to SSW with hard squalls & rain headed to SSE at 10 AM finisht boiling Latitude 35"36

Thursday 7

First part of these 24 hours fresh breezes from South under Double reefs later Moderate Employed in stowing down saw 2 Ships Latitude 35"15

Friday 8

All these 24 hours light breezes from South & mostley cloudy first part finisht stowing down Spake Ships Hercules & Mary Michel later steered to the westward

N Holland for Sperm Whales

Saturday January 9th

First and middle of these 24 hours lively breezes from SW & fair later strong & rough Sea under Double reefs steered to SSE watch Employed in Ships Duty Cooper repairing water Casks

Latitude 35"34

Sunday 10 Long at 4 112"40'45

First part Strong breezes from SW headed to SSE at 3 took in Sail at 6 wore Ship to NWNW Middle more moderate later moderate breezes from WSW & overcasts steered to NW under all Sail At very high swell from SW So Ends these 24 hours Latitude 35"26

Long about - 111"56

Monday 11

All these 24 hours Moderate breezes from SW to South & mostley Cloudy first part Steered to NSW by the wind at 4 raised A Shoale of whales lowered Struck killd & took along side onee whale later all hands Employed in Cutting at Merid had the body & junk in No Observations

Tuesday 12th

First and middle moderate breezes from SSE to South and overcasts fineshd boiling case Cut the junk Cleared & washt Decks and Started the works Ends with fresh breezes from SW & flying Cloudes at 10 wore Ship to SSE all hands Employed in braiking out & Starting bread in larger Casks So to have them for riders Latitude 34"50

Wednesday 13th Long at 5 PM 111"05

First part Strong breezes from SW & Clear under Double reefs heading to SSE Saw A Ship to windward Middle & later fresh breezes & mostley Cloudy at 9 A M wore Ship to NSW Employed in boiling Latitude 35"12

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Remarks on Board Ship Leonida

Thursday January 14th 1841
All these 24 hours fresh breezes from SW to South and fair at 2 wore to SE at 8 fineisht boiling and Stood quarter watches later under Double reefs nothing in Sight | Latitude 35 : 35
Friday 15 | Long at 3 P.M. Chro 111 : 56
All these 24 hours moderate breezes from SE to N SW and fair Steered to the Eastward later all hands Employed in Stowing Down at 10 stered N E | Latitude 35 : 39
Saturday 16
First part Moderate breezes from SW & overcasts Steered NE all hands Employed in Stowing Down at 6 fineisht and Chocked the Main hatchway middle Same headed to N & EW later light and unsteady breezes from ~~South~~ NW and light Showers of rain at Enterrils Steered to N & E under all sail Saw nothing | Latitude 34 : 49
Sunday 17 | Long at 2 112 : 45
First part fresh breezes from West and Same Squally Steered SE at Sunset took in Sail & headed to SW middle Strong breezes later set Double reef F & M T Sails at 7 fresh gales & rough Sea took in Sail at 11 hard Squalls furld T Sail So Ends these 24 hours | Latitude 35 : 31
Monday 18 | Long at 5 P.M. 113 : 23
All these 24 hours Strong gales from West to WSW and squally A high Swell lie laying to all these 24 hours heading to South | Latitude 35 : 5[illegible]
Tuesday 19 | Long at 5 P.M. 113 : 5[illegible]
First and middle strong gales from W SW lighting ; at 6 P.M. wore Ship to N W later strong breezes from SW with Squalls attended with rain steered North under Double reefs watch Employed in Ships Duty | Latitude 35 : [illegible]
Long at 5 P.M. 113 : 5[illegible]

Wednesday January 20th

All these 24 hours fresh breezes from
South to SSE and fair at 2 P.M. Spake Ship
Candor 800 Sperm 1800 whale oil 18 months out
kept to wind to East at Sunset took in
Sail at 5 A.M. Saw the land bearing ENE
made Sail and Steered NE at Meridian Lati 34°04
Stearing North under all Sail land 6 miles
Dist So Ends watch Employed in Ship Duty
Chronometer 25 miles to West of Ship Long at 3 P.M. Chro 114°33

Thursday 21

First part lively breezes from South
and fine Steered North along the Coaste
at 5 Spake Ship Hercules N Bedford
Rickerson 18 months out 500 Sperm 1300 whale
Bound in to the bay kept to wind of Shoar
and Double reeft Strong gales & Clear During
the night under Double & C reefs at 1 P.M.
wore Ship in Shoar at 4 halld of the
land More Moderate set all Sail at 6
tacked Ship to South at 11 took A light
breeze from SSE Steered for the Cape
at Meridian [symbol] bore NE 15' Dist at
2"30 past the point and Entered the
bay at 5 Came to Anchor in 4½ fath
water with best bower & 40 fath Chane
furld the Sails & Cleared the boates for
wooding So Ends this Day Encluding
36 hours with A light land breeze
So Ends Sea Account

Friday 22nd

First and later of this day light breezes
from land and fine Middle Calm and
vary warm all hands Employed in wooding
and setting up Shooks this bay is A large
Deepe bay with A beautiful Sandbeach
and A plenty wood from 40 to 50 yards from
the landing the water is Shaller as you
approach the Shoar and uncoman Clear Can
See the batom vary Destinctly in 6 fathoms
in A Calm we ligh about 1 mile from Shoar
in 4½ fathoms water the batom is white Sand
and dark grass the Barque Gov Endicot now
lighs on the beach as she was drove from her anchorage
in A heavy North last July

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a vary fue
vegatables
& Some
wheat

Remarks on Board Ship Leonias

Saturday 23th
First and later of this day light breezes from Sea SE to South Middle Calm Clear and vary warm all hands Employed in Cutting and boating wood and Cooper setting up shooks for water at 2 P M gat all the wood on board and Cleared the decks

Sunday 24
First part lively breezes from South Middle and later Strong breezes and Clear at 6 A M gat under way and went 12 miles farther up the Bay to leaas where there is A fue settlers for vegatables went A shoar and gat A fue Cabage sprouts and A fue turnups which Cast Enormaus prise gat one bucket of patataes for Each Ship
Arrived Ship Barclay A B Mary Do Candore Do and Newark of Poukepsie

Manday 25
First part fresh breezes from South middle light and bafling later fresh from SSW to South and Clear weather all hands Enplayed in Ships duty Cleand and Comenced painting Cooper Setting up shooks for water

Tuesday 26
All this day light breezes from SW to South and fine weather at 6 A M gat under way in Company with Ship Hercules at 5 P M Came to Anchor in Port Lachenallt with best bower anchor and 50 fath Chane rafted and sent ashoar 100 bbls Cask for water

Wednesday 27
First part Moderate middle and later strong and fair all hands Enplayed in Ships duty Braiking out & Coopering meat 4 men A shoar filling water
Arrived Ship Barclay

Leighing at Anchor inn Port Lackenalt

Thursday January 28th 1840

First and Middle of this day Moderate breezes from South to SE and fine weather all hands Employed in Ships duty braiking out & Stawing down got off 100 bbls water later Strong breezes Arived Ship Friendship Fairhaven Mary Michel Nantucket

Friday 29th

All this day Moderate breezes from land and Sea & fine weather watch Employed in Ships duty Stawed down 100 bbls water and fineshed Stawing Provisions sent 80 bbls of Cask ashoar to fill Starboard watch Ashoar on Liberty

Saturday 30th

First part Strong breezes from South and fine Middle Calm later fresh from South Larb watch on liberty Starb Emplayed in Ships duty got of 80 bbls water and Sundary other jobs Samuel Shaldreye did not return

Sunday 31th

All this day lively and Strang breezes from South to East & fine weather Starb watch on liberty 4 Men have run Away

Monday February 1th

All this day Strong breezes from South & SE and fine weather Larb watch on liberty the remainder of the Starb emplayed in Ships duty painted Larb bends Stawed down Some water &c the above 4 men have nat returnd

Tuesday 2th

First part lively breezes from South Middle moderate latter Strang Starb watch on liberty Larb Emplayed in Ships Duty Fawesed Main T.G. Mast put on New Rigging Sent it up again Sent up F & Mz T.G. yards and all 3 rayalmasts Shipt one Man from Shoar

Remarks . Ship Leonid

Wednesday Febru 3th 1840

All this day moderate breezes from South to East and fine weather Larb watch on liberty Starb Employed in Ships duty painted Starb bends set up Main T. mast rigging royal &C
Arrived Barque Superior Wilmington 450 sperm

Thursday 4th

All this day lively breezes from South to SE and fine weather all hands Employed in Ships duty Stowed down the remainder of the water
Saild Ship Condore for Swanriver

Friday 5th

First part lively breezes from land middle Strong from SSW & Clear all hands Employed in Sundary jobs of Ships duty painted the Ships Stern went Ashoar with one boats crue for Mahogany to Make A set of belaing pins Shipt 2 Canakers

Saturday 6

First and later fresh breezes middle light and Calm all hands Employed in Sundary jobs of Ships duty Shipt 2 Portuegues from Shoar that was Cast away in Ship Samuel White
Saild Ship Jeferson Mary Betsey Baker & Barque Harvest Fisher Stibens left the Ship about 10 PM in Same boate and took all his wearing apparel

At Holland

Sunday 7
First part lively breezes from land At 6-30 A M got under way and Steered out the bay in Company with Ship Newark with A fine breeze of the land steered W By S at 10 Calm at 12 Merid the land about 12 Miles Dist So ends this Day Encluding 12 hours

Monday 8th
at 12 '30 A light breeze sprung up from SW Steered N W at 3 N By W with A lively breeze going at the rate 6 Miles per hour at Sunset took in T. G. Sails at 11 luft to head of Shoar with Main yard juged to be 26 Miles from Rotenest Island at Daylight made all Sail Steered N By E by the wind A light breeze from land bound to Swan river for Potatoes So Ends these 24 hours with light airs and Calms the land just in sight and Clear & pleasent weather at Merid 20 Miles to South of the Island So Ends vary Smoky

Tuesday 9th
Commences Calm at 4 A, light breeze sprung up from N N W Steered N N E at Sunset took in T G Sails halld up Courses leighed off & on During the night Middle part Strong breeze from SSW at 4 A M Double reeft at 5 '30 took in F & Mz T. Sails headed of Shoar at 8 wore Ship in Strong breezes and roughf sea at 10 set F & Mz T. Sails Double reeft So Ends vary Smoky

Latitude 32·06

At 3 P M Saw Rotenest Island bearing E N E turnd one reef out the T. sails set Gilst F & Main T. G. Sails at 5 "30 rounded the N E point of garden Island give the Breakers A suitable berth the Corse to the anchorage SE B E 4 or 5 miles then SE B S at 8 took A pilat 8.30 Came to Anchor with best bower anchor & 50 fath ~~wat~~ Chane in 4½ fathams water hard botom furld the Sails set the watch So ends this Day & S Encluding 36 hours.

At anchor Swan river

Ship Leonidas Seighing

Wednesday February 11 1841

First part of this Day & civel account lively breezes from land and fine weather at 10 AM sea breeze set in later strong breezes & clear but smoky All hands Employed in ships duty went fishing &C the Capt went to Perth for Patatoes

Thursday 11

All this Day lively breezes from land & sea and fine weather Larb watch ashoar on liberty Starboard Employed in sundary gobs of ships Duty. Arrived ship Berkley & friendship from Port Lashenalt for vegatables the Berkley in want of 9 men

Friday 12th

First part fresh sea breezes. middle small ~~land~~ from land & calm later strong from sea the sea breeze blows from SSW blow generaly fresh till near or quite midnight the Sy & hall of shoar the land breezes blow generaly fresh in the morning Dye away towards the middle of the Day Calm & is vary warm the sea breeze sits in from 10 OAM to 2 PM it seldoms blows the 24 hours Larb watch Employed in ships Duty Starb on liberty

All there 6 Days leighing at Anchar ~~in~~ at Swanriver nothing occurde worth notice weather fine winds from there usual quarters & mostley moderate

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At Sea

Saturday February 20th
These 24 hours Commence with fine breeze from SSW Clear & pleasent weather Steered to the West by the wind at Sunset took in Sail & set boates Crue watches Middle fresh breezes later fine weather Steered to South by the wind saw A greate Number of porpoises So Ends these 24 hours 7 men made there Appearenc on deck that Came of from Shoar in Same boate and Stowed themselves away
Long at 2 P.M. chro 114.34 Natenest Island bearing South altered the rate which gives the Long 115"30
Sunday 21 to 27th Latitude at merid 32"30
~~First time~~ All these 7 Days nothing Occurred notable winds from ESE to SSW and fair weather working to South & west Some part of the time winds Strong from South saw several merchant Ships steering to N&W & one whaler steering Do but no whales the watch has ben Employed in various jobs of Ships duty made A new Mz. T. Sail yard unbent Main T. Sail to mend & bent another ~~the Long the~~
the Long 26th Day 109.12 the farthest W this Day 27th 110.14 Latitude 35"39
Sunday 28th
First part strong breezes from South to SSE Steered ENE at 4 P.M. Double reeft killd A Pig now for A fresh mess & luft to wind saw A whale ship steering to N&W Middle fresh later from ESE at 7 tacked to South under whole T. Sails Latitud 35"11
Monday March 1st 1840 Long by Chro 2:30 110..46
First part fine breeze from ESE & fine weather steered South A high swell from SW middle light & Calm later Strong from West & most Cloudy steered East sent down Miz T ~~gan~~ sail & yard up A new yard at merid weather looks bad Close reeft T sails

Ship Leonidas

Tuesday March 2th 1841

First part Strong gales & rainy At 1"30 furld F T Sail & F Sail hove to head to South At 6"30 took in Main T. Sail Middle hard gales & heavy Squalls attended with heavy rain laying under F. T. Staisail & Spencer Mz Staisail & Mizen later hard gales & h Squally wind from WSW to West During these 24 hours Latitude 35"39

Wednesday 3

First & Middle of these 24 hours hard gales & squals attended with rain W. WSW to West headed to South later more moderate set Close reef Main T. Sail at 10 wore Ship to WNW watch employed in mending Mz T. Sail Latitude 35"46

Thursday 4 Long at 5 P.M Chro 112"40

First & Middle of these 24 hours Strong gales from SSW to South & mostley Cloudy finisht Mending Mz T Sail & bent the Same set reef F. Sail later Strong breeze from SSE set Double reefs Steered west saw nothing but Porpoises

Friday 5th Latitude 35"34

First part Strong breezes from SSE Steered to WNW Saw A Shoal of Blackfish at Sunset took in Sail luft to wind later lively breeze from SSE Steered WN Latitude 35"09

Saturday 6 Long at 3 P.M 119"34

All these 24 ours lively breezes from SE & cloudy Steered West at Sunset took in Sail headed to SSW by the wind later Steered West nothing in Sight but A jumper No Observati

Cruiseing for S Whales

Sunday March 7th 1841
First part lively breeze from SE & cloudy Steered West at sunset Double reeft & Steered North later moderate breezes from South Steered North under all sail weather fine Latitude 34.34

Monday 8th Long at 3 P M, ch 107.04
First & middle fresh breezes from SSE & fair Steered North Carried Double reefs During the night later all sail at 11 A.M. Saw A sail Ahead but no whales Latitude 32.22

Tuesday 9th Long at 3 P.M. Chro 106.37
First part light breezes from SE By S & fine weather Steered North under all Sail at 2 Spoke the English whale Barque William fourth of Roberton 6 weeks out No Oil at sunset took in sail headed to the Eastward later lively breeze from SE Steered WE So End & No Whales Latitude 31.19

Wednesday 10 Long at 5 P.M 107.17
All these 24 hours lively breezes from SSE & fine weather Steered WE watch Employed in Ships Duty fitted new Jibb guys Spritsail yard & Double guys to Jibb boom but no whales Lat 29.30
Long at 2.30 108.11

Thursday 11th
All these 24 hours Moderate breezes from South to SSE and fine weather at 2 P M Steered North at sunset took in sail headed to the Eastward later made sail Steered E By S By the wind at 9 raised A shoal of whales at 10 lowered struck & killd one at 2.30 past meridian took him along side went below & took in some belly timber to stay up the Constitution So Ends weather fine
Latitude about 29.10
Long about 108.

Rem Remarks on Board Ship

Friday March 12 - 1841

All these 24 hours Moderate breezes from South to SSW and fine weather at 2"30 took the whale along side at 3"30 Commenced cutting at later fine sht Latitude 28"41

Saturday 13 Long at 5 P merid 109"38

First part lively breezes from SW & fine steered to SSE by the wind All hands Employed in Cutting up junk Clearing away gaw Clearing up &c at 4 Start the works at 6 wore Ship middle light & baffling breezes & fair at 5 AM wore Ship to South later small breezes from WSW to West & vary fine under all sail 2 Ships in sight 1 boiling saw a greate number of porpoises Latitude 28"52

Sunday 14

First part lively breezes from West & WNW clear weather steered to SSW 1 Ship off lea beam Boiling on same tack at sunset past a Merchant barque steering to North at 12 Middle part [illegible] Shifted to SW with a strong breezes [illegible] 6 AM wore ship to West set D[illegible] reefs strong breeze & raugh [illegible] at merid fin sht boiling Latitude 29"11

Monday 15 Long 109"30

All these 24 hours fresh breezes from SSE & passing Claudes first & later steered WNW middle headed to SSW

Latitude 28"52

Tuesday 16 Long 118"15

All these 24 hours fresh breezes from South to SSE & fair first part steered North middle headed to the Eastward later to WSW by the wind all hands Employed in stowing down in fore hold Latitude [illegible]

Wednesday Long at 4 107"36

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Leonidas of Fairhaven for 4 Whales

Wednesday March 17
First & middle fresh breezes from South
Saw A Ship to North later Strong Steered
to S & W under Double & Close reefs
Lat 28 39

Thursday 18 Long at 4 107 45
All these 24 hours Strong gales from
the Same Squally & light showers headed
to S & W laying to middle & later parts
Latitude 29 05

Friday 19th
All these 24 hours Strong gales from
SSE & squally weather laying to headed
to S & W at 6 A M wore ship to East set
reef F. Sail

Saturday 20
All these 24 hours Strong gales from
S by E to S & W & mostly Cloudy & rough
sea first part reef forsail set middle laying
to later under Close reefs headed to E & ESE
First part Saw A Ship Steering to North Lat 28 56

Sunday 21 Long at 3 106 46
All these 24 hours Strong gales from
South middle Squally with light showers
first & later under Close reefs Steered
to ESE nothing in Sight So Ends
All well Latitude 28 55

Monday 22th Long at 3 P M 107 31
First part fresh breezes from
SSE & fair Middle Strong later
quite Moderate from SE under Whole
T. Sails Steered to Eastward ~~another~~
Saw nothing Latitude 28 27

Tuesday 23 Long at 2 30 108 31
First & middle fresh breezes from
SSE and fair later Strong under Double
reefs Steered to East Saw A Ship to
off lee beem at 10 tacked Ship
Latitude 28 00
Long at 2 109 15

Ship Leonid on Whalegrou[nd]

Wednesday March 24th 1840
All these 24 hours Strong breezes from SSE & Squally at 5 P M Spoke Ship Liverpool N. Bedford 1100 bbls W Oil middle & later to SW under Double reefs & rough Sea no whales Latitude 28 30
Long at 3 P M 107.56

Thursday 25th
All these 24 hours Strong winds from SSE to SE and Some Squally Steered to S & W under Double reefs later set Double reefs at 7 A M wore Ship to E N E at 7:30 Saw A whale lowered at 10:30 struck in about half an hour Several more Came to the fast whale we Did not no that thay was more than one the other boats Could not git fast whales Cut round So quick & being vary rough killd & took along Side at 1 P M & got Diner Lat about 29.00

Friday 26 No Observ Long about — 107.20
First & middle Strong breezes from SE to SSE at 2 P M Commenced Cutting at 6 finesht wore Ship to S & W at 8 Started the works later Moderate breezes at 11 A M wore Ship to East Employed in boiling Saw grampases Latitude 29.30

Saturday 27 Long at 2 P M 106.31
All these 24 hours Strong breezes from SSE and fair Steered to East by the wind under Single reefs at 7 A M finesht boiling Ends rouged Latitu 29.14

Sunday 28 Long 0 P M 107.21
All these 24 hours Strong winds from SE & fair weather Steered to S East by the wind under Double reefs Latitude 28.31
Long at 3 P Merid 108.20

Monday March 29th 1840
All these 24 hours fresh breezes from SE to South and overcasts Steered to East at 8 AM tacked Ship to NSW No whales Latitude 28"14
Tuesday 30 Long at 3 PM 108"29
First & middle fresh breezes from South and fair Steered to S & W by the Wind later Moderate Sent Down M T G yard to fit & Condemed Sail Steered to S & W by the wind at 12 Merid raised whales to windward Latitude 28"39
Long at 4 PM 107"14

Wednesday 31
First part lively breezes from SE & fine lowered for whales Struck & killd one at 10 took him Along Side Strong breeze & raughf later fresh gales & very raughf Commenced Cutting Out one Side of head parted ges fluke Chane broake & tore up things & gave it up for 04 bad gad So Ends Latitude 28"34
Thursday April 1st
First & middle fresh breezes from SE laying with to whale alongside to raughf to cut later more Moderate All hands Employed in Cuting
Friday 2
All these 24 hours strong breezes from SE first part Cuting at 5 finished ware Ship to S&W middle & later bailing
Saturday 3 Latitude 28"48
All these 24 hours Strong winds from E to SSE middle Squally with light Showers at Entervels Stood to Eastward under Short Sail watch Emplayed in boiling. Lat 28"28
Long 107"00

Remarks

Sunday April 4th 1841

All these 24 hours fresh gales from SSE to SE & Mostley Cloudy Stood to E&E At first part boiling at 10 P M finesht later Stowing Down Latitude 27"57

Monday 5

All these 24 hours fresh gales from SE fair & rought Sea first part headed to E&E Middle & later to S&W all hands Employed in Stowing Down Latitude 27"48

Tuesday 6 Long at 5 106"45

First part fresh breezes from SSW Employed in Stowing Down at 4 fineshd & washt the Decks Middle Same later Moderate breezes from SE Steered to SSW under hole T. Sails watch Employed in Sundarys fitting Cut geer & Casks &C no whales Latitude 28"28

Wednesday 7th Long at 2 P M 106"20

First part lively breezes from SEbE & fair Steered to to SWbW Middle & later from SEbS at 6 P M tacked Ship to EbN later under all Sail to Eastward Smoky hazy weather Lat 28"27

Thursday 8 Long at 4 PM 106"55

First part light breezes from SE Cloudy Smoky weather Stark tacks aboard at 5 tack to South Middle light & bafling later thick & rainy Calm thunder & lightning No Observation Long at 5 107"16

Friday 9th

Commences with fresh breeze from North & thick rain at 3-30 Cleared Made Sail Middle Small breezes later light Set all Sail lowered lanst & killd A Sulphurbatam he floated took him Along Side at 12 Merid had him Cut inn he is As long as An 80bbl Sperm whale but uncoman Smal bluber from 3 to 4 inch thick & fat So Eno .. Sail to South Clear & vary fine Lat 28"27

... Long .. 107"18

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Saturday April 10
First part Small breezes from West & Clear Middle fresh from North headed to Eastward later lively from N N E at 1 P M Comenced bailing at 10 A M finesht
Latitude 28"35

Sunday 11
First part light breezes from N E Steered to E S E at 5 tacked to N N W saw A Ship to windward Steering to Westward Middle from North & Squally with rain later fine breezes from N W & fine weather under all sail to W S W 2 Ships in sight
Latitude 28"44
106"53

Monday 12
All these 24 hours fine breezes from N W & fine weather first & Middle Stood to N E by the wind at 7 Spoke Ship Hercules Swain 240 bbls Sperm later Steered S E all hands Employed in Stowing Down
Lat 28"27
Long at 4 107"

Tuesday 13
First part fine breeze from N W Steered S E Middle from West headed to South later lively from S W Steered E N E but not A whale to be seen
Latitude 28"18
Long at 2 Chro 117"46
at 11 A M Lunar 107"51

Wednesday 14th
First part lively breeze from S W & fine Steered N E Middle Strong from South headed to E S E later strong & Squally Steered N W under Double reefs watch employed in Ships Duty [illegible] Decks for room
Latitude 27"12
Long at 4:30 P M 107"53

Thursday 15th
All these 24 hours fresh gales from S E & Squally Steered North under Double & single Middle under Close reefs watch Employed in Ships duty Started 6 casks of bread in pipes
Latitude 24"56
Long at 3 P M 107"20

Eunice G Tobey Fairhaven

Remarks 1847

Friday April 16
First part Strong breezes from SSE & flying Cloudes Steered North at 2 P M luft to wind to East Middle Strong & Squally later more moderate under Single reefs to Eastward watch Employed in mending A Gibble Lat at Merid 23.56

Saturday 17 Long at 4 P Merid 108.26.3
First and middle of these 24 hours lively breezes from SSE & fine weather steered to East by the wind watch Employed repairing gibbs
Lat 23.26

Sunday 18 Long by Chro at 2 P M 109.26
All these 24 hours Small breezes from SSE to SE & Calm steered to East under all Sail Saw A finback at 11 tacked to SW Latitude 23.00

Monday 19 Long at 9 A M 109.56
First part small breezes from SE clear & vary warm steered SW by the wind middle Calm later small from NE steered South under all Sail saw A ship bearing W N W steering to SSE saw A several Shoals of porpoises Latitude 23.2[illegible]

Tuesday 20
First & middle parts small breezes from Diferent Points of the Compass & Same Squally later strong from SSW & Squally steered to West by the wind at 9 Double reeft at 7 spoke ship Mount Wollaston Lary 700 Sperm 1700 whale Latitude 23.3[illegible]

Wednesday 21
All these 24 hours strong winds from South to SSE & mostly Cloudy first part to W SW middle & later to Eastward saw 5 ships at merid spoke ship Jefferson 1500 sperm 1100 whale Lat 23.19

Continued

Thursday April 22^d 841

All these 24 hours Strong breezes from SSE & fair first part Steered NW Middle and later to SSW & no whales Latitude 23"25

Friday 23 Long 108"56

First part fresh breezes from SE Steered North middle to ENE saw 2 Ships later moderate breezes &c fine Steered West at 8 Spoke Ship Mercantile N. Bedford Delano 2 whales cast out saw finbacks Latitude 22"38

Long at 3 108"46

Saturday ~~Friday~~ 24

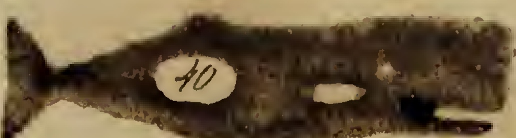
All these 24 hours Small breezes from SE to SW and vary fine Steered to Westward 2 Ships in sight Latitude 22"30 Weather vary fine & plenty Long at 4 PM 108"13 Small fish all round the Ship but no large Leviathans to be seen.

Sunday ~~Saturday~~ 25

First part Small breezes from SSW & vary fine Steered to westward at 8 Spoke Ship Franklin middle & later Smaly from South Steered to WSW by the wind

Latitude 22"27

Long at 3 11?"45



Monday 26

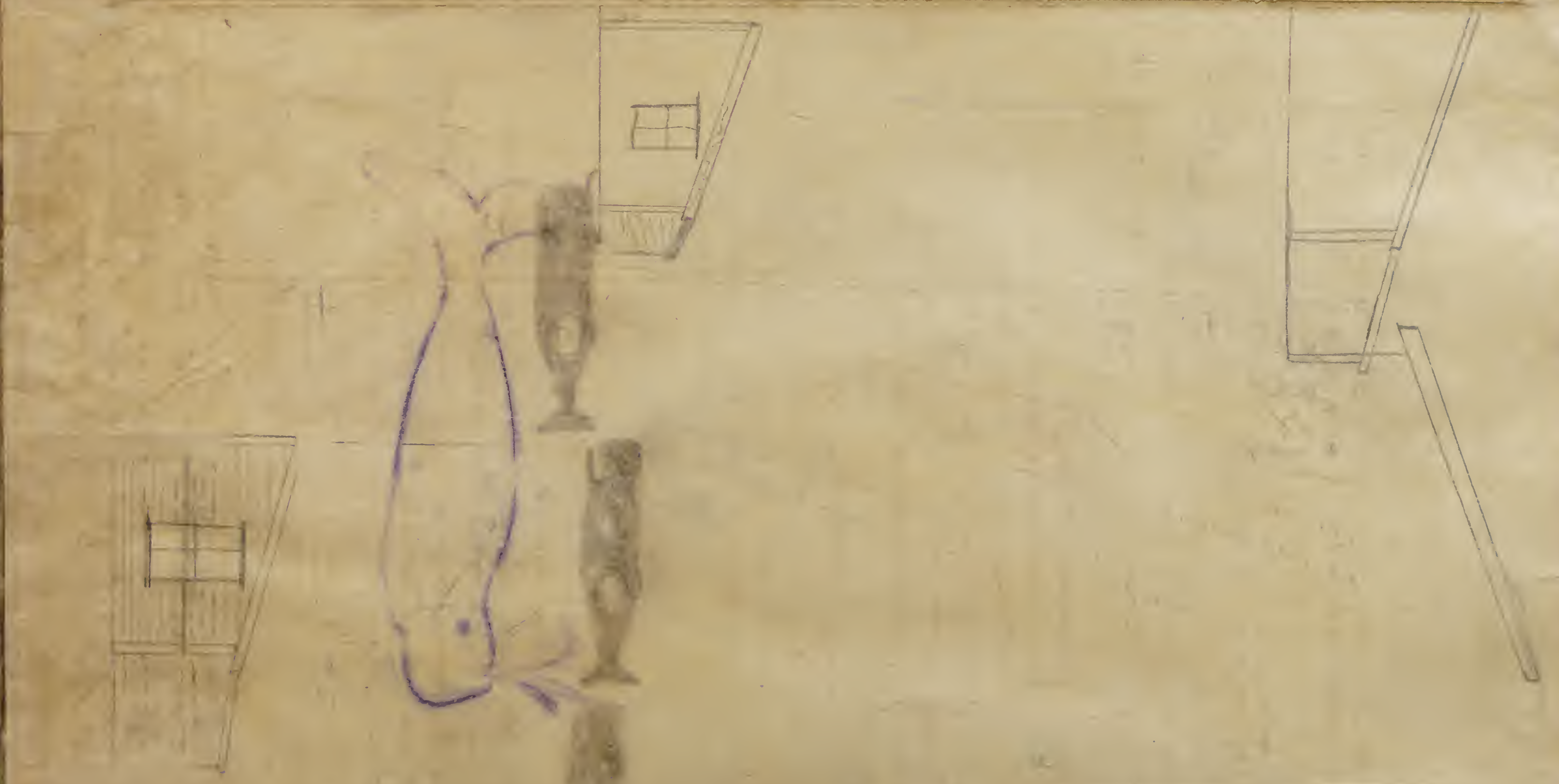
All these 24 Hours fine breezes from SSE & fine weather at 2 PM tacked to East at 7 AM saw whales at 8 lowered at 9"30 Struck with one boate at 10"30 2^d boate at 12 3^d boate 12 miles from the first boate & 8 from 2^d at 5 PM had all 3 along side

Latitude about 23"10

Long about — 108 - 00

Tuesday 27

All these 24 hours Small breezes from South & vary fine at 8 PM took the 3 whales along side got Super & Diner under one at 6"30 AM hooked on & got breakfast & Comenced cuting at 5 PM had all the 3 bodies & one head inn A? work Latitude ?



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Remarks

Wednesday April 28th 1841

All these 24 hours light winds from SSE to SE & vary fine first part all hands employed in cuting at 8 started the works at 8 AM saw A large sperm whale lowere 2 boates Chaste him till he sunct & could not git past so ends 2 boates in Chase 8 or 10 miles from the ship & she making the best of her way with 2 heads in to & bailing

Thursday 29

First & middle light breezes from SSE & fine at 4 PM Came on board & have inn the junks heighed by the Casks later baled them boiling all these 24 hours

Latitude 21:25
Long at 3 PM 107:49

Friday 30

All these 24 hours Nicely breezes from SE & fair weather steared to SSW by the wind saw finbacks Employed in bailing

Latitude 21:47

Saturday May 1st 1841

All these 24 hours strong breezes from SE and mostley Cloudday first part steered to SSW middle & latter to East Watch Employed bailing saw 2 sail to windward

Latitude 21:34

Sunday 2 Long at 3 PM 107:21

All these 24 hours strong breezes from SSE & flying Cloudes under Double reefs at 10 PM fineshd boiling at 6 AM wore ship to SW all hands Employed stowing down

Latitude 21:26

Monday 3

All these 24 hours strong breezes from SSE and fair All hands Employed in stowing Down headed to SSW & under Double reefs first part saw A ship to windward whaling later 2 sail in sight

Latitude 21:54
Long at 4 106:41:30

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Tuesday May 4th 1841
All these 24 hours fresh breezes from SSE to SE
& fair at 3 PM finesht Steering Down
Spoke Ship Julean 850 Sperm 200 whale oil
Steered to Eastward saw finbacks
Latitude 21"23

Wednesday 5 Long at 2 P 107"19
First part fresh breezes from SE middle
& later light clear & pleasent steered to
S&W by the wind 2 sail in sight to
windward but none whaling Latitude 22"26
Long at 3 106"46

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Thursday 6
First & middle small breezes from
ESE & calm later lively at 8 AM
tacked to South under all sail 3 ships
in sight saw C[?] Sulpher bottom & calf
Latitude 22"36
Long at 4 P.M. 107"01

Friday 7
First & middle lively breezes from SE
& hazy weather at 2 PM spoke Barke
Pioneer Whelman 575 sperm 250 whale 23 months
out steered to eastward later strong breezes
& light rain Latitude 21"58

Saturday 8
First part strong winds at 2 PM
saw the Pioneer whaling 6 to leward
Bore up & run Down saw C[?] large
whale lowered all 3 boates & neither
of the 6 boates could git near anaugh
to strike middle & later fresh gales
from SE & mostley cloudy at 7 AM
ware ship to S&W under Double reefs
Pioneer off weather quater Latitude 21"34
Long at 2 PM 107"31

Sunday 9th
All these 24 hours fresh gales from
ESE and cloudy hazy weather the sea
rought Steered to South under short

Remarks

Monday May 10th 1841

All these 24 hours strong winds from ESE to E thick cloudy & dirty weather first & middle steered to South at 7 AM wore ship to ENE under double reefs the Pioneer off weather beam sent down the main royalmasts to fite new reging saw finback caught a good number Albacore

No Observation

Tuesday 11

First part strong winds from SE under double reefs to ENE at 5 PM spoke Barque Rosco Clark 450 sperm 550 whale she saw Barque Pantheon take a large whale in the fore part of the day to windward Middle & later fresh gales & cloudy at 8 AM wore ship to SSW under short sail

Latitude 22"10

Wednesday 12

All these 24 hours fresh gales from SE to ESE squally & dirty weather first & middle caried small sail to South & W hard rain from 3 AM till 7 at 8 wore ship to NE set C. reefs saw a sail to leward first part saw a Barque to leward cuting No Observations

Thursday 13

First part fresh gales from ESE squally with light showers headed to NE under short sail at 5 spoke Barque Rosco at 8 wore ship to S & SWW middle strong gales & heavy squalls with hard rains took in all sail but spencer & [illegible] later more moderate but squally with showers steered to NE under short sail

Latitude 21"21

Long at 3 PM 116"50

Friday May 14th 1841
All these 24 hours fresh breezes from SSE to SE & passing Claudes Steered to Eastward Caught A number Albacor Saw 2 barques Ships but no whales
Latitude 22"04
Long at 10 A.M. Chro 107"13
Saturday 15 By Lunar — 107"15

First part fresh breeze from SEBS & fair Steered to the Eastward by the wind under halo T Sails Middle & later Strong from SE & roughf Sea at 6 A.M wore Ship to S&W & Set Double reef T Sails So Ends & no whales Latitude 21"
Long at 10 A.M 107"5

Sunday 16
All these 24 hours Strong breezes from SEbyE & fair Steered to S&W first part under Double reefs later Single reefs Saw finbacks at 8 A.M Saw A Ship off lee beam
Latitude 22"3
Long at 10 A.M Chro 107"30
Long at by Lunar 107"22

Monday 17
All these 24 hours Lively breezes from ES & fine weather Steered to South Saw finbacks but no Sperm whales
Latitude 23"33
Long at 9 A.M 107"10

Tuesday 18
All these 24 hours Lively breezes from ESE to East & fine weather at 6 P.M tacked to N&E later Carried all Sail 2 Sail in Sight but no whales
Latitude 23"03
Long at 2 P.M 107"5

Wednesday 19
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Remarks

Thursday May 20th 1841

All these 24 hours light trades from SE to ESE Clear & pleasent first & middle Steered to South later to N & E Saw 3 Ships Saw finbacks

Latitude 22"0.
Long at 2"30 P.M 107"4.

Friday 21

All these 24 hours light trades from SE to ESE Clear & pleasent weather Steered to N & E but no whales O how many more such fair Days ~~I~~ will pass before we shall take A prise not many I cincerly hope

Latitude 22"2.
Long at 2 P.M 108"41

Saturday 22

All these 24 hours light breezes from SE Clear & vary fine & smooth Sea Steered to Eastward but no whales Saw one Ship of weather quater

Latitude 22"26
Long at 2 P.M 109"22

Sunday 23

All these 24 hours small breezes from SE & Calm Clear & pleasent First & middle to N & E later steered to Westward So Ends these 24 hs & no whales

Latitude 22"14
Long at 2 P.M 10?"32

Monday 24

All these 24 hours light winds from ESE to South Clear & pleasent weather Steered to SSW A greate number of small fish round the Ship but no large spouters in sight Except finbacks S Ends watch Employed in Ships Duty all well

Latitude 23"0?
Long at 2"30 P.M 109"05

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Tuesday May 25th 1841

First & Middle of these 24 hours lively breezes from SSE & fine steered to S&W saw 3 ships to windward later strong winds & flying Cloudes under single reefs at 9 spoke ship Pheonix Briggs Sagharbour 1200 wh. ole 300 sperm saw A good many hump & finbacks at 10 steered NW

Latitude 23"18
Long at 2"30 PM 108"02

Wednesday 26

First part strong breezes from SE steered NW under single reefs at sunset took inn sail headed to Eastward later fresh gales from SE flying Cloudes & very roughf steered NW unbent Forsail to repair at 9"30 AM raised whales to leward lowered struck & killed 2 & got one boate lightley stove at 2 PM had them cabled got diner A ship past to leward under Clost reefs took inn all sail but C reefs M T sail

Latitude 22"36
Long at 2" PM 108"06

Thursday 27

All these 24 hours strong winds from SE & roughf sea at 2 PM took the whales along side got Diner bent Forsaill shifted boates & got reddy for Cuting later all hands Employed in same

Friday 28

All these 24 hours fresh gales from SE & roughf sea First & later Cuting

Middle boiling spoke ship Hiberna Cook N. Bedford 900 sperm

Latitude 22"07

Ship Leonidas

Saturday May 29th 184[illegible]

First part fresh gales from SE finesht Cuting middle & later More Moderate steered to South Cooling [illegible] 1 Ship to leeward Suposed her to be the Hercules

Latitude 22.2[illegible]
Long at 3 1[illegible]

Sunday 30

All these 24 hours Moderate breezes from ESE & fair steered to South Saw several Ships spoke ship Mount Vernan Sherman [illegible] Bedford Employed boiling

Latitude 22.2[illegible]

Monday 31st

All these 24 hours Moderate breezes from ESE & fair at 2 PM wore ship to NE at 3 AM finesht boiling

Latitude 22.18

Tuesday June 1st

All these 24 hours Moderate breezes from SE & fine at 2 PM spoke Ship Hercules Rickerson [illegible] finesht Cuting 2 [illegible] whales steered to N & E [illegible] All hands Employed Stowing down Saw nothing

Latitude 22.18
Long at 3 108.19

Wednesday 2

First part Moderate finesht Stowing down middle fresh later strong gales from SW wore ship to West under short sail Lat 22.[illegible]
Long at 3 108.89

Thursday [illegible]

All these 24 hours Strong gales from SW flying Clouds [illegible] first part middle headed to NE [illegible] later [illegible] under double reefs Employed repairing boates &c

Long at [illegible] 88.[illegible]
[illegible]

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Cruiscing off N Holland

Friday June 4th 1841

First part fresh Brides from SSE & fair Steered to the North Spoke Ship Merrimac Starboc Newburyport 10 months out 400 Sperm 600 whale Oil Middle to SSW later to N & W but no whales

Latitude 22"02
Long at 2 P.M. 107"53

Saturday 5

All these 24 hours fine breezes from S&E & fine weather Steered to S&W Saw finbacks later Spoke Ship Marcia bound home in A few days 650 Sperm 1500 whales Latitude 22"23

Sunday 6th

All these 24 hours Moderate breezes from SE to N E & vary fine Steered to S&E by the wind Saw A greate plenty Finbacks A number af Ships

Latitude 22"39
Long at 3 P.M. 108"00

Monday 7

First & Middle fine breeze from N&E & fine weather Steered to the East by the wind later fresh from N & W & raining Spoke Barque Lindus 500 Sp 60 W. Oil in want of A T. Mast let her have one Spoke Barque Lantheon 22 Months out 1400 Sperm 1000 Whale Oil Latitude 22"43

Long at 2"30 109"10

Tuesday 8

All these 24 hours Strong breezes from West to SW & Squally First part steered to East later N E Saw A good number hump & finbacks but no Sperm Employed Mending Sails & Setting up Shrouds

Latitude 22"
Long at 3. 109"39

Wednesday 9

All these 24 hours fresh breezes from SW to SSW & Some squally First & [illegible] steered to N later to S&E Spoke [illegible]

[illegible] from [illegible]

On Board of Leonida

Thursday June 10th 1841

All these 24 hours fresh breezes from SSW & fair first & middle steered to the West later to S&E saw plenty finbacks but no sperm whales watch Employed mending sails later onbent M. Sail no Ships in sight Latitude 22.?
Long at 2 PM 109.?

Friday 11

All these 24 hours small breezes from SW to South steered to South & E watch Employed in Ships duty first part finesht & bent M. sail no whales Latitude 22.?

Saturday 12

All these 24 hours small breezes from S&W & vary bafling with light showers steered to S&E & S&W onbent & repaired Mainsail & bent it again saw finbacks but no sperm whales & Ships in sight & Dooing nothing
Latitude 22.26
Long at 2 PM 109.51

Sunday 13

All these 24 hours small & variable breezes from South & W & same squally spoke Ship Draper 100 sperm 1800 whale Latitude 22.2?
110.04

Monday 14

First part small breezes from S.W at 4 tacked to West middle light from S&E steered West later lively from E&E steered West saw several Ships spoke Ship Phenix Sag harbor 230 bbls the last 18 Days Latitude 22.?
Long at 2 109.2?

Tuesday 15th

First part fine breezes from S.E & fair steered to N.S.W at sunset took in sail reeded to ? PM middle cloudy later ? from ? & hard rain
No sperm whales

Wednesday 16th

First part light breezes from North thick & raining Middle Strong from SW to South Headed to S&E later Strong from SSE Steered to S&W
5 under Double reefs Cloudy & Squally
Spoke Ship American Hudson Tapam 1000 sperm 1800 whale No Observation

Thursday 17th

All these 24 hours Strong gales from S&E Cloudy Squally weather first & Middle Steered to East later to S&W under Double reefs Sea roughly

Latitude 23"20
Long at 2 PM 109"11

Friday 18

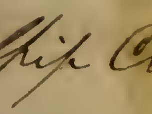
First & Middle fresh breezes from S&E flying Cloudes first Steered to N&W Middle to S&W under Short
53 sail later Moderate & fine with A high Swell from S W Steered W&SW Ship & Bark in sight

53 Latitude 23"37
Long at 2 108"17

Saturday 19

First part light breezes from East Steered North Middle Small from N&E later lively from North at 9 AM tacked to N&E Saw 3 Ships So Ends watch employed in Ships duty No Observation

Sunday 21

All these 24 hours light winds from
53 N&W & fine Steered to N&E at 4 PM Saw A Sperm whale going fast to North lowered but Could not Come
 up with him later Spoke Ship Tuscaloosa Faber 700 Sperm got letters
Ship Charleson Nantucket 1700 S lost 1st officer Latitude 23"17

Monday 21 Long at 2 109"00"

First part light N&W winds & fine Steered to N&E Middle & later light Calms & Showers

Remarks

Tuesday June 22th

First & Middle of these 24 hours
Small & baffling breezes from W
to SE with light showers later
Calm 3 Ships in sight

Latitude

Wednesday 23

First & Middle of these 24 hours light
breezes from South & E Steered North
saw 2 Ships whaling later small &
Calm Steered NW saw A barque ahead

Latitude 22 15
Long at 2 PM 108 47

Thursday 24

First part lively breezes from SSE
Steered NW Spoke Barque Arab
Kidenton Fairhaven 14 months out
Sperm Middle light from SE to E & less
later lively from NE Carried all
sail to NNW by the wind but no whales
[illegible] SW Lat 22 22

No More Letters All Well

thanks be to God this is Enaught
to make A man danse on his Toes 3 Cheers &
A harty welcom to all letters }

Friday 25th

First & Middle light breezes from
NE Clear & pleasant steered to North
later from SSW steered ENE & no
whales this is trying & hard

Latitude 22 31

Saturday 26

All these 24 hours fresh breezes from
South to SSE first part steered East
Middle & later by the wind to East
So ends this day & no whales saw
2 Ships standing to SSW watch employed
in Ships duty

Latitude 22 14
Long at 2:30 109 18

Ship Leonidas A. S. Fox

Sunday June 27th 1841
All these 24 hours fresh breezes from S&E & fair, steered to Eastward & no whales
Latitude 21"31
Long at 2 P.M. 110"26

Monday 28
All these 24 hours lively breezes from S.E. & fine weather steered to E&N by the wind Caried Double reefs During the night later watch employed rattlin F & M. Top mast riging So End these 24 hours & no whales Latitude 21
Long at 2 111"

Tuesday 29th
All these 24 hours lively breezes from S&E & fine weather steered to N&E by the wind saw nothing in the shape of A whale watch employed rattlin & tarring rigging
Latitude 20"
Long at 2"30 112"

Wednesday 30
First & Middle lively breezes from S&E fine weather steered to N&E by the wind at 10 A.M. wind shifted to North blowed fresh for A short time with rain thunder & lightning watch employed in rattlin & tarring
No Observation

Thursday July 1st
First part light from North & rainy Middle from SE to East & cloudy later fresh from East steered to S&E cloudy So Ends & no whales
Latitude 19"08
Long at 2"30 113"56

Friday July 2
First part fresh breezes from SE & fair steered to S&W rattled F & M.T. mast riging at 5-30 wore to N&E Double reeft later moderat from East & fine saw A large whale going fast to windward at 8-30 lowered but could no came up with
[illegible]

Ship Leonidas

Saturday July 3 - 1841

First part lively breezes from E.N.E & fine at 2 P.M tacked to S.S.E at Sunset took in sail Middle & later lively breezes from N.E to North at 8 A.M. saw a small shoal of Sperm bulls lowered & took 2 at 11 took them along side got Diner at 12 hooked on

Latitude about N 19.00

Sunday July 4th 1841

Commences with a N shift of wind to W.S.W. & a heavy shower at 4 P.M finisht Cuting Middle fresh from S.W. Boiling headed to S.E later same with overcasts all hands employed boiling cuting junk clearing gams &C

Latitude 19"56

Monday 5

First part fresh breezes from S.S.W steered to S.E at 6 wore Ship to west Middle strong & high swell later fresh gales & roughf steered N.E no whales watch boiling

Latitude 19"25

Long at 2 P.M 115"04

Tuesday 6

All these 24 hours fresh gales from South to S.S.E & flying Clouds first steered N.E. under short sail at 6 P.M finisht boiling took in sail headed to S.E later steered to N.E under Double reefs watch to work on the rigin Latitude 18"36

Long at 2 P.M 115"52

Wednesday 7th

First part strong from S.S.E. steered N.E under Double reefs Middle to East later Moderate steered S.W by the wind under hole T. Sails all hands employed stowing down saw no whales Latitude 18"26

Long at 2 — 116"11

Ship N. Holland Sparming

Thursday July 8th 1841

First part fine breezes from SE steered to S&W by the wind Employed stowing Down at Sunset took in sail wore ship to Eastward later fresh gales from ESE steered North and Double reefs saw nothing watch Employed on the riging
Latitude 17
Long at 2 PM 115

Friday 9th

All these 24 hours strong breezes from ESE & flying Cloudes first part steere North at Sunset took in sail headed to NE later Caried Double reefs by the wind watch to work on riging
Latitude 16 "3
Long at 2"30 116"14

Saturday 10

First part strong trades from ESE & flying Cloudes steered NE by the wind at 4 saw A large whale lowered all 3 boates but did not git near anaught to strike middle strong later moderate steered SSW but no whales watch Employed on rigin
Latitue 16
Long at 2 115"6

Sunday 11

All these 24 hours lively breezes from ESE to SE & fine wedther first part steered to N&W middle to N&E by the wind later under hole topsails by the wind saw no whales Latitude 16"
Long at 3 PM 116"1

Monday 12th

All these 24 hours fresh breezes from SE to ESE & fine weather first part steered N&E by the wind at Sunset tacked ship & took in sail later braced whole topsails to South watch Employed on the rigin
Latitude 16
Long at 2 PM 116

Remarks

Tuesday July 13th 1841
All these 24 hours Strong trades
at 6 P.M tacked to N.E took inn sail
later under hale T Sails 2 Ships in
sight 1 off weather Bow other astern
No Ends watch to work on the rigin
Cooper Seting up Pipes for water

Latitude 16:20

Wednesday 14 (Long at 2 116:29)

First & Middle Strong trades & Clear
Steered to N.E by the wind at 5 P.M
Spoke Ship Neptune Green N. London
7 Months out 200 Whale 400 Sperm later
fresh under hale T Sails at 11:30 Saw
A Ship 2 Points off Stark bow
watch Employed in Sundry Jobs

Thursday 15th

First & middle of these 24 hours fresh
trades & Clear Steered to N.E at Sunset
took in Sail later fresh gales & roughf
Set Double reefs Steered by the wind to
N.E first part Spoke Barque London
Packet Samson N Bedford 8 months out
100 bbls S Oil

Latitude 14:58
Long at 2 P.M 117:33

Friday 16th

All these 24 hours fresh gales from E.N.E
to S.E Clear but Smaky first part Steered
by the wind to N.E. ~~head~~ under Double
reefs Middle under C. reef M. T Sail &
F. Sail later Steered N By E under Short
Sail No whales watch Employed Ships Duty

Latitude 13:52
Long at 2 P.M. Chro 117:50

Saturday 17

First & Middle part fresh gales from
S.E Steered N By E under Short Sail at
sunset luft to wind to E.N.E took
in F T Sail at 9 Observed the water
white as Milk wore Ship Saunded
found no batam with 60 fathoms later
[illegible]

Latitude

Towards Ampanam Moderately

Sunday July 18th 1841

All these 24 hours lively trades & fine weather Steered N by E Middle under 2 reefs later all sail saw hump backs

Latitude 21·56
Long at 3 117·05

Monday 19th

First part fresh trades & fair Steered N by E at Sunset Double reeft Middle strong breezes & overcasts past through some very remarkable water During the night at 9 Came into white water after we had saild Distance anought to loose sight of the Darke water nothing but one white sheete of water all around as far as the Eye could Extend the scene was striking & would ben Alarming if we had not seen it something simdler previous to this I could think it was A fair resemblem of A field of snow in A darke night we Drawed A bucket of water & found it to Contain some 20 or 30 little lights from the size of A barley Corn to A small peanut I took one of the Largest out Caried it to the light for Examination found it to be about ½ inch in length & as fine As the finest thread of silk white transparent & of A gell nature at 10 Came in to Darke water saild through several more beads During the nigt later fresh breezes turnd one reef out set M sail & gibb watch Employed in Ships Du at Meridian More Moderate Steered N & E

Latitude 19·G
Long at 2 PM Chro - 117·2

Tuesday 20th

All these 24 hours fresh trades & overcasts Steered N & E at 5 PM saw the land sumb Island bearing N & W Dist 20 miles at took inn sail at 8 wore Ship off sho wore inn at Daylight set single r inn for the land till within 2 mi run Down the land saw A ship s

Ship Leonidas Laighin

Wednesday July 21st

Commences with lively breezes from SE run Down the land at 2 Spoke Barque American Sagharbour at Sunset at took inn Sail Sumbawa or the SW head bore North Dist 3 Miles Steered N By S till 11 P.M under Double reef M T. Sail C reef Mz & F. Sail then luft to with Main yard Aback head to South at Daylight Set All Sail Steered N & W for SW head of Lamboc at 3 P.M Came to Anchor in Ampanam roades with best bower Anchor & 50 fathoms Chane firld Sails ~~rafted~~ got 17 Casks ready for rafting at 9 Set the watch one boatsteerer in A watch So Ends this Day & Sea Account Encluding 36 hours

Thursday 22

All this day light & bafling breezes & fine weather got of from Shoar 88 bbls Water Scrubed the Ship & lined hur for painting & healde hur So Ends this day Ansil Hatch ~~emp~~ Sick

Friday 23th

All this day light & bafling breezes & fine weather All hands Employed painting Ship & Sundry other jobs got off 10 hogs &C

Saturday 24

All this day light bafling winds & fine weather Starb watch on liberty Larboard Employed in Ships duty

Sunday 25

All this day light & unsteady breezes & fine weather Larb Watch on liberty Said Ship Mane Maria Theresa

Lnn Ampanam Roads 1841

Manday July 26

All this day light & unsteady breezes Cloudy & Same rain Starb watch ~~Emplayed~~ on liberty Larb Emplayed painting Starbe side &C

Tuesday 27th

All this day light & bafling breezes calms & fine weather Starboar watch Emplayed painting &C Larbard on liberty

Wednesday 28

First & later light airs & Calms Middle [illegible] from West Larb Watch Emplayed in Ships Duty Covering bottom &C put on the heels [illegible] on liberty

Thursday 29

All this Day Moderate breezes & fine weather Starbard watch Emplayed in Ships Duty Larb on liberty

Friday 30th

All this day Moderate breezes & Calms All hands Emplayed rafting off water & Stawing Dawn the Same

Saterday 31

All this day Moderate breezes from land & Calms All hands Emplayed giting off & Stawing Dawn water

Sunday August 1

All this Day light & bafling breezes & fine weather fine Starb watch Emplayed in Ships Duty George Davis Abscanded

Manday 2th

All this Day light & variable breezes & Calms All hands Emplaye giting off & Stawing Down water

Tuesday 3

All this Day Moderate & fine weather [illegible] watch [illegible] Emplayed in Ships Duty

Remarks on Board

Ampanan August 4th 1841
All this Day light breezes from
Land & Calm middle fresh from
South Starb watch on liberty
Larb Employed in Sundry jobs
Sailed Ship Hamilton & Neptune

Thursday 5th
First & later of this Day Small breezes
from land & Calms Middle fresh from
South & fine Larb Watch on liberty
Starb Employed in Ships Duty
Arrived Barque London Packet
Samson 150 bbls S oil got off A raft
water

Friday 6th
First & later Small breezes from land
& Calm Middle fresh from South
Starb watch on liberty Larb Employed
in Sundry jobs of Ships Duty

Saturday 7th
All this Day fine weather first
& later winds light & Calm Middle
fresh from South Larb watch on
liberty Starb Employed in Ships
Duty painted Larb Boat

Sunday 8
All this Day winds as usual weather
fine Starb watch on liberty Larb
on board Arrived 3 whale Ships

Monday 9th
All this Day winds as usual
weather fine Larb watch on liberty
Starb Employed in Sundry jobs

Tuesday 10
All this Day Moderate breezes & fair
All hands Employed in Ships Duty
got off A small raft of water & got
ready for Mooving Down to the
[illegible]ding place

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Leighing at anchor in Amp

Wednesday August 11
All this day Moderate breezes & fine weather leighing Detaind for the want of A permit to wood All hands Emplayed in Sundry gabs

Thursday 12th
First part Calm At 6 A.M. gat under way with A light breeze & proceeded Down the bay to the wooding place at 11.30 Came to Anchor about 18 Miles from Ampanan in A snug little bay firld the sails gat Dinner & started 2 boats Crues Ashoar to look A plase to Cut wood after looken the most of the after noon found A plast where we Cut A part of A loade & retur to the Ship after sunset Discharged the boats gat super & set the watch 5 watches for the night one of the after gard & one of the men & A sharp lookout for Praws Middle & later lively breezes from South

Friday 13th
the most part of this Day fine bree from South & fine weather All hands Emplayed wooding Cut & gat of 5 b la

Saturday 14th
All this Day Moderate breezes & fine weather All hands Emplayed in Ships Duty finesht wooding gat some sand & all reddy for sea went Ashoar hunting shot 2 wilde hogs & saw A plenty Dear

Sunday 15th
Commences Calm / later light & balling breezes from North hove short & loost All saill saw A the London packet Coming Down from Ampanan So Ends this Day Encluding 12 hours at Merid ... Calm

On Board Ship

Monday [illegible]ust 16th 1841

At 1 P.M. At [illegible] fine breeze from South hoisted the T. sails waide Anchor & run out the bay Stowed the Anchors on the rails onbent & Stowed the Chains below Cleared up & got every thing Snug at 4 P.M. South Point of Cahdetty Island bore N W By W & W Strong breeze from SE & rough sea at Sunset took inn Sail Set 3 watches for the night later fresh breezes & Same Cloudy Set Double reefs at 6 wore in Shore to E N E Saw the London Packet to windward So Ends these 24 hours thanks be to God that we are out where we Can look for whales Latitude 9° 53

Tuesday 17th

All these 24 hours fresh trades & fair at 4 P.M. wore ship to S & W Spoke London Packet Mr. Howland the 1st officer sick at 12 Middle wore to E N E at Daylight Set Single reef 2 Sails Steered North but No whales A Strong Curent to leward Latitude 9.42

Long at 2 113.58

Wednesday 18th

First & middle of these 24 hours lively breezes & fair at 1 P.M. wore ship to S & W at 6 A.M. wore back Set hole T. Sails at 11 Saw the land but no whales Latitude 8.56

Long at 4 - 114.13

Thursday 19th

First part Moderate at 3 tacked to South Natty baring N E Dist 6 Miles by Estormation Spoke London Packet Middle fresh breezes under Double reefs [illegible] Strong trades

[illegible] whales

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